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Clerk's reading over the abstract compiled by the Territorial Secretary of the returns of the persons elected as delegates from the several counties represented, and that functionary's indorsement of the legality and validity of the elections thus returned.

This suggestion was adopted.

Mr. HUGHES, the Clerk, called over the names, the persons present answered, and it appeared that but sixteen of the sixty were absent.

Mr MOORE renewed his motion for a Committee on Credentials, which, after a little discussion, was carried.

The Chair named Mr. Moore, of Leavenworth, Judge Elmore, of Shawnee, Dr. Lykins, of Lykins County, Major Boling, of Douglas County, and Dr. Hamilton, of Bourbon.

Judge ELMORE said he understood that it was whispered through the streets that the seat of the Shawnee delegation was to be contested, and he begged to be excused.

He was excused accordingly, and Mr. JENKINS, of Marshall, was named to succeed him.

Mr. JENKINS declined, but suggested the name of Mr. ATKINS, from Atchison, who was appointed.

An attempt was now made to adjourn, but proved unsuccessful.

Mr. JENKINS now moved that the regular officers of the Convention shall consist of a President, President *pro tem.*, a Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Door-Keeper, Sergeant-at-Arms and Reporter.

This resolution led to a great deal of discussion, which had no earthly importance. It was ultimately adopted in its original form.

Major VANDERSLICE then moved that as the Committee on Credentials could have no evidence as to the validity or invalidity of the election of delegates save the papers furnished by the Territorial Secretary, and just read before the house, that that Committee be instructed to report to the Convention all the members as entitled to seats whose names were on the list referred to.

One of the delegates thought that by doing so the Convention would make asses of themselves.

Major VANDERSLICE made a significant gesture with his open hands towards his ears, and observed, amid much laughter, that that would not be very hard to do.

An amendment to Mr. VANDERSLICE'S motion, to the effect that the Committee be discharged, was offered.

Major BOLING explained that in addition to the sixty delegates whose names appeared on the Territorial Secretary's list, there were certain persons irregularly elected in counties where there had been no census or registry, who claimed seats in the Convention, and that it would be the duty of the Committee on Credentials to report on their title to admission as delegates. In addition to this, one of the Atchison delegation had resigned and another had been appointed to fill his place, and the propriety of that second election would also come before that Committee. Considering these facts, then, he thought the Committee should not be discharged, but permitted to take its own course on the various questions that might be presented to it.

Major VANDERSLICE withdrew his motion, the amendment was withdrawn also, and the Committee allowed to proceed to business.

On suggestion of Gen. CALHOUN the Clerk was authorized to procure printed slips containing the names of the members of the Convention, for the purpose of facilitating the marking of the ayes and noes.

An adjournment then took place till to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The current news of the Territory is little, and of little interest. Leavenworth still continues excited by the efforts to lynch GORDON and his supposed accomplice, and it was feared that advantage would be taken of the popular tumult there yesterday, consequent on the election of a Mayor, to rescue him from the calaboose and string him up on the first tree handy. It is now ascertained that the person supposed to be murdered is alive and well, and forthcoming, and the report that the body of a murdered man had been found near the spot where GORDON was seized, turns out to be an unmitigated fib.

Young BAILEY is slowly recovering from the wounds he received here a few nights ago. Several of the crowd which surrounded him when the stabs were inflicted have been arrested, and are now in custody. An examination has been held before a Justice, but as yet the crime has been fastened on no individual specifically.

An important suit, involving the title to the town of Ossawatomie, valued at some fifty or seventy-five thousand dollars, is now being tried in the Land-Office.

Much excitement prevails among the Pro-Slavery people, consequent on the rumor that all the troops now in Kansas have been ordered off to Utah forthwith. If the troops leave, they expect JIM LANE will be cutting some extraordinary capers with his "Voluntary Association," and the results may be startling.

It is now pretty well settled that the Convention will adjourn after completing a permanent organization, in order to await the results of the October election before taking final action on the Constitution. P. H. C.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Kansas advices say that the Constitutional Convention had organized, with JOHN CALHOUN as President. CALHOUN had made a speech in favor of submitting the Constitution to the people.

PREPARATIONS FOR ANOTHER INVASION.

From the Lawrence Herald of Freedom.

Rev. Mr. STEWART, a gentleman of intelligence and veracity, who has been traveling through the border counties of Missouri, and just returned from a trip of considerable length in that direction, says that he saw and heard evidences everywhere on his route, conclusive to him that preparations are again making in Missouri to invade Kansas in October, with the view of participating in our Territorial elections. If this is the design, unless Governor WALKER takes sufficient means to preserve the purity of the ballot-box the people of Kansas will, We have no threats nor bluster, but the people of Missouri must be taught that they have interfered in our elections for the *last* time. Unless Governor WALKER gives the people full assurance that the polls shall be fully protected in October we hope the people will continue to prepare themselves for a warm reception of the invaders. We have not believed that there would be any further interference on the part of Missouri in our elections; and now we are firm in the conviction that Governor WALKER will head off the movement, and yet we are satisfied an attempt will be made to perpetuate power as they have done in the past. The villainous apportionment, by which every district but one was bounded by Missouri, shows that JOHNSON and MATHEWS had another invasion in view, and that they apportioned the Territory with a view to it.

CAPTURE OF A HOUSE BURGLAR.—HEYMAN LEICHER, a German, residing at No. 216 Stanton-street, was arrested on Tuesday by officers ELSEN, McCOM, and McDOUGALL, of the Deputy Superintendent's Office, charged with having, on the night of the 26th ult., entered the house of Mr. LOUIS H. FRASER, No. 2 First-avenue, by means of false keys, and stolen therefrom 24 gold and silver watches, 60 plated guard chains, and a wallet containing $104. On searching the house of the prisoner, a lot of false keys and burglar's tools were found, and he had on his person when arrested one of the stolen watches. This prisoner is also charged with having, about 2 weeks ago, entered the house of Mr. ISAAC KOCHENSPERGER, No. 123 First-street, with false keys and robbed it of $170 in money, and about $200 worth of silver-ware and other property. He was taken before Justice Connors, and committed for examination.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

By Telegraph to the New-York Times.

Magnetic Telegraph Co.'s Office—No. 12 Wall-st., and 192 Broadway.

NEWS BY THE SOUTHERN MAIL.

Further from California—Advices from Washington Territory and the Sandwich Islands—Later from Havana and Key West.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The Southern mail from all points as late as due is to hand.

The Charleston *Courier* of Monday contains the arrival of the steamship *Catawba* from Havana and Key West on the 10th.

The brig *Fleet Squall* picked up a boat on the Great Bahama Bank, with three men in it, who stated that they belonged to, and were the sole survivors of, the brig *Alison Cooper*, of Portland, which was wrecked—but one of them afterwards stated that the Captain, mate and one seamen were murdered by the other two, and the vessel burned. They were all in prison at Havana.

Two slavers had been run ashore and burnt between Cardenas and Matanzas. Three cargoes of slaves had been launched within a week.

Exchange on London was at ten to ten and a half per cent. premium, and on New-York and Boston at par to one per cent. discount.

Freights were nominal.

The stock of Sugars was unchanged. Muscovado was nominally 10 to 12 reals.

There was no Molasses for export.

The bark *Victorine*, of Southport, was reported totally wrecked on the Bahama Banks. She was bound from Mobile to Nassau.

CALIFORNIA.

The *Courier* also contains the details of the news from California per *Central America*, received by the *Catawba*. It is generally destitute of interest.

The Metropolitan Theatre in San Francisco was burned on the 13th.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

In Washington Territory, twenty Democrats and five Republicans had been elected Representatives. STEVENS' majority for Governor was 319.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Sandwich Island dates are to July 9. The Cane crop promises abundance. The Coffee had been attacked by blight, and the yield would be reduced one third.

KEY WEST.

Our Key West dates are to Sept. 10.

The ship *Silas Holmes*, from New-York for New-Orleans, went ashore near Indian Key. She was relieved, but afterwards struck on Alligator Reef, whence she got off without serious injury.

An unknown bark from Rockland for New-Orleans took fire near Stirrup Key, and her cargo was destroyed and rigging damaged.

Arrived at Key West, schooners *Amelia Howe* and *Woodbine*, and brigs *A. C. Coleman* and *Governor Brown*, from New-York; also brig *R. Bingham*, from Boston.

From Washington.

INTERFERENCE FROM SIAM—THE EXPEDITION OF COMMODORE FOOTE—THE RESIGNATION OF JUDGE CAMPBELL, ETC.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Official advices are received from Commander FOOTE, of the sloop-of-war *Portsmouth*, dated off Menam River, Siam, June 16. On arriving he proceeded, in the King's steamer to Bangkok, with Consul BRADLEY, the bearer of the treaty concluded between the United States and Siam. During their stay they were presented to the two Kings of the country, and were received with marked consideration by all the members of the Court. The second King, by invitation, visited the *Portsmouth*, the first instance of a King of Siam going on board a foreign vessel.

The kings sent a present of lamp-oil, rice, sugar, bread, fish and fruit to the ship, for which payment was positively declined. Commander FOOTE is of the opinion that the treaties between Siam, Great Britain, France and the United States, are rapidly developing the resources of that country. Several vessels were about leaving for the United States with the chief staple of the country.

Of the sixty millions of domestic specie exported during the year ending the 30th of June, thirty-one millions and nearly a third was bullion; and of the upward of twelve millions and a half of specie imported little less than half was bullion. The above makes more specific the official table recently published.

W. R. CALHOUN, of South Carolina, has been appointed Secretary of Legation at Paris, in place of O. JENNINGS WISE, of Virginia, resigned.

Associate Justice CURTIS was to-day officially notified of the acceptance of his resignation of his seat in the Supreme Court. The President, through the Attorney-General, thanks him for postponing the time for it to take effect until the 1st of October.

The United States practice-ship *Plymouth* was at Lisbon on the 16th of August. The ordnance practice was continued during the voyage. There was in port a large Dutch vessel, which had on board a number of midshipmen who had passed the first stage of service in a smaller vessel.

The financial excitement has in a great measure subsided. The Bank of Commerce continues to redeem its notes, but temporarily refuses depositors' checks. The run on the banking houses is discontinued, and they all continue to pay, and confidence is generally restored.

From Albany.

THE MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATIC EDITORS OF NEW-YORK STATE—THE CANAL FUND.

ALBANY, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The social and business meeting of the Democratic *Editors of the State*, held at Syracuse last evening, was well attended. Mr. HAGADORN, of the Syracuse *Courier*, presided. The line of policy to be pursued by the press was discussed, and a resolution was adopted to form a Democratic Association and hold similar meetings annually. A Committee for next year was also appointed. The supper took place at the Voorhees House, and was a superb affair.

The inference drawn from a letter addressed by Auditor BENTON to the Canal Commissioners, in which the embarrassed state of the canal fund is alluded to, that the State officers have been in the market for a loan, is incorrect. No attempt to borrow has been made by the State.

The following are the Republican Delegates to the State Convention from this county:—

Second District—Jacob J. Werrer and George Woolford.

Third District—Ira Porter and George L. Thomas.

Fourth District—James V. Cothouse and Leonard Van Decar.

The First District will elect its Delegates on Saturday.

The Democratic Judicial Convention, to nominate Judges for the Third District, was held to-day. In the contested-seat case from Columbia County, which occupied the Convention from 12 till 5 o'clock, the delegates in favor of MILLER for the short term were admitted. They were ROBERT MCLELLAN and HUGH VAN ALSTYNE. CORNELIUS VANDERCOOT, of Albany, presided, and JOHN GRISWOLD, of Rensselaer, and CHARLES HOLMES, of Schoharie, were chosen Secretaries. RUFUS W. PECKHAM was nominated for the long term, the balloting continuing for the short term with prospect of a late session. The contest lies between MILLER and OLNEY, of Greene.

Massachusetts Democratic State Convention.

BOSTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The Democratic State Convention assembled in Tremont Temple this forenoon. About 600 delegates were present, and ISAAC DAVIS, of Worcester, was chosen President, receiving 326 votes out of 578 cast. Preliminary to entering upon business, the Convention was addressed by the President, and also by SAMUEL W. WALKER, B. F. BUTLER and others. A Committee of one delegate from each county on the

further permanent organization of the Convention was then appointed.

Having permanently organized, the Convention, after a brief discussion, nominated ERASTUS D. BEACH, of Springfield, for Governor, and ALBERT COMINS, of Newburyport, for Lieutenant-Governor. Both nominations were unanimously made by acclamation.

The other nominees are as follows:

For Secretary of State, JONATHAN E. FIELD, of Stockbridge; for Treasurer, CHARLES THURBER, of Charlestown; for Auditor, S. L. MEAD, of Nantucket; and for Attorney-General, ELIJA WHITTIER, of Dedham.

The Convention was harmonious and spirited.

Maine State Election.

PORTLAND, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

We have to-day returns from only 28 additional towns, which give a Republican majority of 1,100 which is more favorable to the Republicans than was indicated yesterday. The vote thus far (261 towns) stands: MORRILL, 36,628; SWETT, Democrat, 35,528—Republican majority 0,040. Last year the same towns gave HAMLIN, 47,175; WELLS and PATTEE, 34,503—Republican majority 12,672.

From St. Louis.

MOVEMENT OF THE UNITED STATES TROOPS—ANOTHER BATTLE WITH THE INDIANS.

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Five hundred troops left Leavenworth on the 9th, for New-Mexico.

The St. Joseph *Journal* of the 10th, gives an account of a battle between Col. SUMNER'S command and a band of Indians, about the middle of August, on the Arkansas River. The troops had four, and the Indians had twenty killed.

The same paper says the report of the slaughter of four hundred Indians is unfounded.

The Steamship Nashville at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The United States Mail steamship *Nashville* arrived here from New-York at an early hour this morning.

Burning of a Cotton-Mill.

NEW-MARKET, N. H., Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Mill No. 2 of the New-Market Cotton Company was destroyed by fire this morning. Loss $100,000, of which $44,000 is insured in Boston.

THE AMERICAN STATE CONVENTION.

Altered Sentiments of the Party—Acknowledgments of Error—A Live Platform Wanted—Ticket Nominated—Harmony of the Convention, etc.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

SYRACUSE, Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1857.

The American Party had no childhood. It came into existence endowed at once with all the vigor and strength of manhood. It has run such a career as must inevitably attach to an enthusiasm that is without judgment—it has attained the crisis that must surely be precipitated where action is not guided by experience, nor impulses controlled by discretion.

Between two fires—attracted and repulsed in turn by both—it is failing rapidly to decay, or rather is approaching that chaos which precedes and forms a basis for decay.

Standing on the brink of the precipice, the American Party seems, in [illegible] to be the grave—to shake the rare sentiments [illegible] down to death. It [illegible] a [illegible] of a regenerated life of usefulness.

But 300 workers are present of the [illegible] who should make up a full Convention. The counties of Clinton, Dutchess, Essex, Jefferson, Otsego, Putnam, Richmond, St. Lawrence, Suffolk, Tompkins, Wyoming and Yates have no representatives present, while there are only partial delegations from Chautauque, Madison, Columbia, Oneida, Franklin, Orange, Greene, Oswego, Genesee, Queens, Kings, Delaware and Westchester. It seems the natural conclusion that in those counties the Council fires must burn very low, if they have not entirely gone out.

New-York came here, as it seems her destiny to come to every Convention, with a distracted, or contesting delegation. In the settlement of her differences, the example set by the Democratic Convention is promptly followed. The matters in dispute are referred back to the New-Yorkers to fight it out among themselves.

The President's brief address is not indicative of a buoyant hope for the future. It dwells upon the duty of perseverance, and the glory of being right rather than successful, in a way that implies the "good time coming" to be rather remote.

Prompt upon the completion of the organization, Mr. DUGANNE offers a resolution directing the appointment of a committee to prepare a platform and resolutions. The discussion which followed this proposition, gave unmistakable evidence that the rank and file of the party had realized the terrible blunders which had attended all its previous efforts at platform-making. There was a universal shudder at the recollection of the rotten planks which had heretofore been used—accompanied by a decided expression of a disrelish for any more of the same sort. "We have platformed ourselves out of existence," said a prominent member; and the response was universal. "We broke down with the Fillmore platform, and I don't want to get on a second like that," said another—and so throughout the convention there was a determination not to build any more—a determination that was so spontaneous and decisive as that Mr. DUGANNE withdrew his motion.

He, however, renewed it in another shape, by which he proposed to confine the labors of the Committee to the preparation of resolutions indicative of the views and instincts of the party. On this last motion Mr. DUGANNE made a good speech, in which he clearly and pointedly marked out the errors which had prevailed in the past. While he entirely and heartily coincided in the sentiment that "Americans should rule America," he thought that not enough. Americans—the American people—were too intelligent to be satisfied with such a generality. They wanted something more—some definition of a State policy—some recognition of the affairs in which they had so much *interest. It was this want—this vacuum*—which they had failed to fill, that had brought the American Party into a minority. Unless this want was recognized and satisfied, the American Party would have no hope of success—not even an existence.

This discussion was carried on at much length—and very much in the strain in which Mr. DUGANNE had opened. There was a common acknowledgment—a general confession of errors that had been fatal. In the end, the Committee on Resolutions was ordered. As appointed by the Chair, the Committee, embraced the name of Mr. BROOKS. That gentleman, however, declined to serve—briefly giving his reasons for so doing—the most significant of which was an intimation that matters would probably be introduced in which he could not agree with his associates. The previous discussion had elicited a very strong expression of Free-Soil sentiments, and it was supposed that Mr. BROOKS had allusion to the probable embodiment of those sentiments, in anticipating a variance between himself and the other gentlemen named by the Chairman.

This interchange of views was the only interesting feature of the Convention. The nominations were made without the ordinary jarring—the two first by acclamation.

The character of the ticket is far above an average of State nominations. There are few men in the State who possess more fitness for the positions of Secretary of State, Comptroller Attorney-General and Treasurer than Messrs. PUTNAM, BARNUM, ROSS and CRELLE. With the exception of Mr. KETCHUM, I am not personally acquainted with the other nominees, but the four first-named are men of marked ability and stubborn integrity. It was at one time hoped the Convention would nominate Judge DENIO, but the least wise counsels at last prevailed and Mr. KETCHUM was made the nominee.

The Convention was entirely harmonious. The most of the delegates were young men, and apparently deeply imbued with the sentiment which has become the watchword of the order.

Among these there appeared no indications of any desire to coalesce, or to sell out to either of the other political organizations. I heard one of the most prominent leaders—one who is indebted to their support for one of the highest positions in the State—say he should vote the Democratic ticket, and others have expressed a like determination; but I do not think the rank and file entertain any such purposes.

I hear the votes the ticket will receive variously estimated from 85,000 to 100,000. The lower figure seems a little too low, and the maximum quite too high. LEO.

HEAVY STORM AT THE SOUTH.

Steamship Central America Missing.

The Southerner at Charleston Almost a Complete Wreck.

The Empire City at Norfolk in Distress.

VESSELS ASHORE.

PARTICULARS OF THE STORM.

The non-arrival of the steamer and the failure yesterday, to receive any intelligence from her, added somewhat to the public anxiety on her account. The number of her passengers is not known, or who they are; the amount of her treasure-list is said to be over a million of dollars, and those who have cause to expect friends by her, as well as all others interested, manifest much concern for her safety. The steamer *Atalanta*, from Charleston, three and-a-half days, on Monday, the 12th, reports having passed, off Cape Lookout, a quantity of wrecked material, supposed to be a steamer's wheel-house, and house on deck; this circumstance has been cited as possibly having some connection with the *Central America*, but as the steamer *Columbia*, which arrived at Charleston on Monday, reports having had her wheel-houses knocked away in the gale, they no doubt belonged to that vessel. The general opinion appears to be that she may have got out of coal, or received some damage to her machinery, and that she is making her way, under sail, to one of the nearest harbors on the Coast; as this is necessarily a very slow process for a large side-wheel steamer, with only a small spread of canvas, it may yet be several days before she is heard from, unless she should be fallen in with by some one of the numerous steamers which ply between this and Southern ports. The *Star Warrior*, during a heavy gale last December, got out of coal, and only succeeded in reaching Old Point Comfort by burning up all the spare spars and woodwork on board; as the same expedient would, no doubt, be adopted by the *Central America*, the most experienced in such affairs incline to the belief that she has broken some portion of her machinery. The Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company were yesterday discussing the propriety of sending a steamer from this port in search of the missing vessel. It was also reported that Mr. ROSEBURY had telegraphed to the Captain of the *Empire City*, at Norfolk, to send his passengers forward by some other conveyance, and depart immediately on a cruise for the relief of the steamer; should this be done it will, perhaps, supersede the necessity of sending relief from this port. The late gale was most severely felt in the vicinity of Cape Hatteras on the 9th and 10th, and on other parts of the North Carolina coast on the 11th and 12th instant. The blow commenced from the Northeast, and veered round to North, Northwest, West and Southwest, and lasted for [illegible] hours. The Southern papers [illegible] of the gale [illegible] quantities of rain [illegible] Sunday, and, as a [illegible] fences, houses, stacks, &c., were prostrate in the [illegible] section, and much damage was done by overflows, carrying away of bridges, &c.

In town the effects of the storm were apparent in the number of trees and of branches uprooted, twisted off and scattered about the different streets. Many fences were blown down, and some slight damage done to houses.

The steamer *Spray* left for Smithville at her usual hour Saturday afternoon, but such was the violence of the gale that she was forced upon the beach below Orton, where she remained in safety until Sunday afternoon, when she was towed off by the steamer *Henrietta*.

The train from the North due in the evening of the same day, arrived at about the usual hour, but could not reach the shed where passengers are landed, in consequence of the heavy drifts of sand near the track on the side of the hill just beyond the depôt buildings. The immense rains swept large quantities of sand over the rails, and the passage of the cars was blocked. The passengers by this train remained where they were during the night, and in the morning, when the violence of the storm had abated, left their temporary hotel for more comfortable quarters.

On the sea-coast the gale was terribly severe. Down at Wrightsville Sound the waters of the sea swept over the different sand-banks and marshes, covering them all. The tide, of course, rose to a very unusual height, and swept away, like chaff, several of the bathing and boat-houses of the resident inhabitants. Boats were washed out of these latter and landed high on the shore. Trees and fences were blown down. The "Ocean House," situated on the banks next to the sea, that spot rendered famous as the scene of the Esquimaux, was carried off by the relentless waves, and we suppose that fragments thereof, if not landed at distant points, are drifting about on voyages of discovery. This "Ocean House," now that it is gone, we feel bound to say, was not a hotel, as some of the Northern papers fancied, but a small tenement of wood, having one room and no more.

The damage to the shipping on the coast we fear has been very extensive. The loss of the bark *Colin McRae*, a new and beautiful vessel, owned principally here, is especially to be regretted. She had just reached the bar on her homeward trip from England, and, in endeavoring to ride out the gale, parted chains and went ashore.

The gale does not seem, from accounts received, to have extended far into the interior. Passengers by the Northern train felt but little of the storm north of Goldsboro, and by the Southern train, about Fair Bluff seems to have been its limits.

By the boats from Fayetteville we learn that the effects of the blow were not experienced severely above Elizabeth. Below this point the low ground crops of corn, &c., are seriously injured.

We cannot tell what damage the rice crop has sustained, but hope that it is but slight.

Among the marine disasters, near Wilmington, the following have been mentioned:

Bark *Colin McRae*, Bramhall, from Liverpool for Wilmington, laden with salt arrived off the Main Bar, Wednesday afternoon the 9th, at 6 o'clock, not being able to obtain a steamer to tow her in, came to anchor with the wind northeast. On Thursday and Friday it blew heavy from the northeast; about 5 P. M. Saturday, wind changed to W. S. W., blowing very hard; at 6 o'clock parted chains and struck Middle Ground Shoals at 9 o'clock, and will prove a total loss. She is owned by Messrs. J. & D. McRAE & Co., WM. RYAN & SON, Capt. BRAMHALL, and J. PEARCE & Co. of Belfast, Me. The vessel was fully insured. Part of her cargo insured. Portions of her sails and rigging, and a part of cargo will be saved in a damaged condition. The captain and crew were taken off and reached Wilmington.

Bark *J. W. Blodgett*, from Turks Island, bound to New-York, with a cargo of salt, was also anchored off the Barr, with pumps choked and leaking very badly, (intending to put in here for repairs,) on Saturday night parted her chains and was blown across Frying Pan Shoals, thumping heavily, and was run ashore near New Inlet Bar; with loss of both anchors and part of sails. Supposed all hands saved.

[The *J. W. B.* was built at Yarmouth, Me., in 1845, rated A2½, was 172 tons burden, and was owned in New-York.]

Schooner *Emily Ward*, Capt. BARNEY, from Charleston to New-York, with a cargo of wheat, flour, cotton, &c., had been as far northward as 34° 23', had experienced gales of wind. On Friday night wind raised to a hurricane—vessel laboring heavily, sprung a leak, pumps choked, sails all blown away. At 1 o'clock Sunday morning, being unable to beach her, anchored about 10 miles north of New Inlet, 5 miles from land, where she sunk in 7 fathoms water. Captain and crew came ashore in a boat.

[The *Emily Ward* was owned in New-York, and was built at Elizabethport, N. J., in 1854, of 296 tons burden, and rated at A2.]

Schooner *Abner Rader*, Captain CRANMER, hence for New-York, with a cargo of naval stores, went ashore about Rich Inlet, 25 or 30 miles north New Inlet, and will prove a total loss.

[The *A. R.* was 152 tons, built at Milford, in 1852, and owned in New-York.]

In addition to the above, a brig, supposed to be Spanish, and a schooner, were ashore about 20 miles from New Inlet Bar, and a hermaphrodite brig was ashore near Bald Head.

The schooner *New Republic*, from Philadelphia for Wilmington, N. C., was driven ashore on Sunday night, near Swansboro, N. C. The vessel and cargo will be saved, though in a damaged state.

The telegraph also reports the loss of the steamer *Norfolk* (formerly the *Pendleton*) sank in the Chesapeake with a valuable cargo, the Captain (KELLY) and crew having been rescued by the steamer *Joseph Whitney*, and landed at Cape Island.

The brig *John H. Rhoads*, from Boston, bound to

Baltimore with merchandise, went ashore south of Cape Henry.

The [illegible] from New-York was blown out to sea as far as Cape Hatteras, and took in considerable water, somewhat damaging her cargo.

The schooner *C. P. Williams*, to Baker, bound from Jersey City to York River, during the late gale lost her mainmast, foretopmast, &c.

THE STEAMER NORFOLK WRECKED IN THE CHESAPEAKE BAY.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The steamer *Norfolk*, sunk in the Chesapeake, belonged to the Philadelphia and Richmond line. She left here on Saturday with a valuable freight. The *Norfolk* was formerly known as the *Pendleton*. Capt. KELLY and the crew were landed yesterday at Cape Island by the steamer *Joseph Whitney*, from Baltimore for Boston. The vessel and cargo are fully insured.

LOSS OF THE BRIG VERMONT.

LIVERPOOL, N. S., Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The brigantine *Vermont*, from Pictou for [illegible] was totally wrecked this morning on the [illegible] Ledge. Crew and materials saved.

The Empire City at Norfolk.

BOSTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The steamship *Empire City* has $70,000 in specie for New-York. The mails will be dispatched and Baltimore to-day. She did not ascertain the amount of specie or number of passengers in the *Central America*.

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[illegible] 1857, I should say there [illegible] laws, and [illegible] without intellect [illegible] scarcely be distinguished from the lower [illegible] creation. They resemble somewhat the Indian [illegible] gem of California, though of rather higher [illegible] tion. The war waged by Russia against these Circassians resembles very much our own war against the Seminole Indians of Florida. There is [illegible] when it will end. The Circassians have [illegible] hatred towards the Russians because the [illegible] vent them selling their children to the T[illegible] managed, during the war, to send off to Constantinople a cargo of 1,000 of their daughters, but they cannot do so now.

There is a regular Russian line of steamers between Odessa and this place. The ships stop at intermediate ports. The accommodation is good and the fare reasonable. Sebastopol, where the English first landed, is an old Turkish town, of no importance, with an open roadstead. But its harbor; but Sebastopol, the next port, has one of the finest harbors in the world. At present a fleet of seventy-three vessels are sunk there. The Philadelphia Submarine Mining Company have the contract to clear the harbor, and under its enterprising President, Col. GOWEN, the job will be accomplished. The Colonel has with him a hundred superior American mechanics, and any quantity of Russian laborers. He has now been at Sebastopol six weeks, and the Company has already erected a steamboat, machine and blacksmiths' shops, and houses for the men. They have two large gun-boats of 400 tons, a barge of 100 tons, and a large dock, nearly ready to launch, besides the steamer *General Rose*, the bark *Susan Jane*, and the schooner *Silver Eye*. They are expecting also, the arrival of the ship *Our Union*, with three additional decks. Sebastopol at this time has all the life, activity, and appearance of a New-England ship-yard. The Company has two gangs of divers at work, clearing away the vessels before attempting to raise them. In doing this they have recovered a large number of cannon, some 36 pounds in weight, and about 12 feet long, from the celebrated *Vladimir*; also a great many anchors and chains, some of them weighing seven tons, from the 120 gun ship *Constantine*, besides a large amount of copper, brass, copper, &c. The iron steamers and new ships have not received any material damage from the worms, but the old ships will not be worth repairing. The anchors, chains, copper, sheathing, bolts, [illegible], &c., are of very great value. W. F.

ALLEGED VIOLATION OF THE USURY LAW.—LUCIUS MAGEE yesterday appeared before Recorder SMITH and testified that some time ago, being in want of funds, he called at the office of JAMES PEARSE, where he had seen the sign "Money to Loan," conspicuously displayed, and asked Mr. P. to loan $10 on a piano, at the same time according the privilege to Mr. PEARSE of placing the handsome piece of furniture in his parlor. Mr. PEARSE, after some hesitation, complied with his request, for the consideration of $1 per month as interest upon the loan. MAGEE subsequently called on Mr. PEARSE and urged him to buy the instrument, but that gentleman refused, as it was not the kind he wanted. He, however, lent MAGEE an additional $10. MAGEE, wishing to realize on the instrument, next applied to Mr. MELLOS, the auctioneer, to sell it for him, at auction. The auctioneer, [illegible] day, accompanied MAGEE to PEARSE'S place of business, and MAGEE demanded the piano, at the same time announcing that "the money was ready." PEARSE positively refused to deliver the instrument, or even to let the conversation and the auctioneer look at it, until the bill of sale was produced. MAGEE then brought suit against PEARSE for the recovery of the piano, also on charges of usury, and keeping a pawn-broker's shop without a license. Both parties were represented by counsel. The complainant's wife was also present and frantically endeavored to tell her story, interrupting the proceedings in spite of Court and counsel; efforts to the contrary by repeated assertions of her poverty, and her anxiety to preserve her rights. Her story was no witness examined for the defense, but Mr. PEARSE made a statement that he was the responsible and responsible proprietor of a "real estate office;" that he never lent money on personal property; that he only advanced the sum on the piano from pure kindness of heart, to alleviate the pressing necessities of the man MAGEE. As to the charge of usury he could say that he only had asked twenty per cent a year, and in his business seven and eight per cent. a month were the usual rates. He intimated that the proceedings were brought for the purpose of recovering the money. Mr. PEARSE'S counsel thought the charge trivial and that it should be dismissed. The Recorder considered that from the evidence it was clear that the usury laws had been violated and he intimated to Mr. PEARSE to take the device complained of, namely, [illegible] remedy is a civil suit for the recovery of the [illegible]

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[illegible] Committee, with the concurrence of the other members of the Executive Committee, deem it due to the friends of the Society to [illegible] their recent action.

At the last anniversary it was regarded by many as both feasible and desirable that, without at all trenching on the political relations of Slavery, certain moral duties growing out of its existence, or more evil results growing out of its existence, or more evil results resulting from its peculiarities deplored by all evangelical Christians, and found occasionally or frequently occurring in it, should be discussed in our public meetings, and this without losing sight of our original and governing principle in the Society's first organization, that its publications shall be "calculated to promote the reformation of all evangelical Christians." And the confidence was expressed that the Executive Committee would, in their action respecting this matter, exercise such wisdom as would promote the maintenance of the Society "strong hold in this country."

For the successful maintenance of the past, and the happy expansion of the future influence of the Society, we have relied on the sympathies, prayers, gifts, and cooperation of our brethren in the South as in the North. If the evangelical Christians resident in any portion of our wide country give not their countenance, aid, and support to our agents and our tracts, our collectors and our volumes are alike dead letters. We have received from churches and from individuals, from men in all the strength and vigor of their best years, and from Christians arranging their worldly affairs in prospect of death, many hearty testimonies, a generous and hearty support in the former years of our history. With equal fidelity to donors and testators at the North or at the South, the conductors of the Society have felt responsible, for and near, their responsibility to God and to the best interests alike of our common country and common Christianity.

The Publishing Committee had, at the time of the last anniversary, a treatise on the "Duties of Masters" under their consideration. It was composed of extracts made by brethren of various evangelical denominations at the South, and was supposed to meet the views that are presented in the resolutions of the Louisville Convention.

The Publishing Committee were not altogether unaware of the liberal embarrassment, looked upon with some distrust at the South, at the treatise which we became bringing a northern imprint, it was thought by some, and equally evident that many of the friends of the Society might object to it as recognizing "duties" inhering in the relation of "master," that relation, in their view, being forever sinful.

The preparation of this treatise, one of the authors from whose addresses or tracts it was compiled, has been removed by death. Two others of their brethren, honored and influential, known as true friends of the Society, have judged it expedient, in the excited and exalted state of feeling awakened in both North and South, upon the various relations of Slavery, that these writings of their own, which were to form a prominent portion of the treatise, should be issued with a Northern imprint. They have, accordingly, interfered our further use of the matter thus supplied.

But in addition, from all quarters of our southern land we have received, and from the tried and fast friends of the Society, expressions the most unanimous and decided, that *any publication by our press* [illegible] *of Slavery, even though it should be carefully kept within the terms of the Constitution*, [illegible] *would have no other result* [illegible] *the entire withdrawal of the South from connection with the Society.* The new works would find no gate of access; and the separation would henceforth extends even our older issues, by closing over them the suspicion of their origin from a quarter supposed to have become hostile to the interests of the South. Of these accredited issues, the circulation of a high evangelical literature is our own and its European lands—books on which God's Spirit has put his evident and gracious approval—it seemed and necessarily to be compelled to clog in any way the circulation.

From Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, from Alabama, Louisiana and Tennessee, we have but one testimony, as borne by State Societies and Auxiliaries, by the Society's officers, General Agents, Superintendents and Colporteurs, by ecclesiastical bodies, and by the religious press, that the South we have now a virtual suspension of collections, and, if the present distrust and alienation be not remain, there must speedily ensue a withdrawal of colporteurs and distribution throughout our southern field. We must surrender all the Southern and Southwestern States. To pretend it time to palter with the whole side of our institution.

The Committee have believed that the action and resolutions of the last anniversary, explicitly cherishing as they do the Society's usefulness "throughout the whole country" could not contemplate, even on the part of those northern friends most earnestly advocating these "any revolutionary" and disruptive measures, the ruin of the Society's policy, cutting off from its benefits one-third of "our whole country" so long and in our great labors so largely blessed, as the entire south.

The Publishing Committee therefore voted with entire unanimity to arrest the issue of the work that had been before them, confidently believing that their action in the premises would commend itself to the Society under the phases which the subject has assumed; and the Executive Committee united in sustaining this as the only present action conservative of all the interests, and just to all the parties involved.

It were a waste of the Society's funds to issue a treatise on Southern duties for which we could find no Southern readers, and for the sake of securing such issue, to forego deliberately, and without explicit request from the Society, all further opportunity of sending thitherward the large body of publications we have hitherto, under God's manifest blessing, scattered there.

To the further development of God's good providence, and to the guidance of his Spirit, promised where reverently and humbly implored, the Committee now refer this question, meanwhile "seeking the things that make for peace," and aiming to secure the "fruit of righteousness sown in peace of them that make peace."

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New-York, Thursday, Sept. 10, 1857.

"Discouraging to Fanatics"—Letter from Rev. W. G. Brownlow.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In your issue of the 5th September, 1857, I find an editorial under the above caption, in relation to which I desire to make a few remarks, by way of correction and explanation. That portion of your article [illegible] upon the cruel treatment of a negro by Mr. Cheek, [illegible] of Rogersville, East Tennessee, and the driving out of the ministry of Mr. Sawyer, I will not pause to comment upon. I am familiar with that whole affair, and I know the version given by Mr. Sawyer to be at variance with the facts in the case. Mr. Sawyer is to appear before the authorities of the Presbyterian Church, upon a charge of falsehood and gross perversions of truth, in reference to this very matter, and when the decision is had, I will send you the proceedings. Mr. Netherlands is an honorable man, a humane gentleman, and is not a slave dealer, and never was. I have known him intimately for thirty years—I have lived in the same town with him—and I have been battling with him in the old Whig cause for twenty years.

In your notice of East Tennessee and the Slavery question, you use this language—I give the paragraph entire:

"In spite of this high character, and these favorable antecedents, a thousand of the best citizens of the place, a few years ago, assembled in cold blood and burnt a negro alive at the stake. One of the local papers commenting upon the tragedy boasts of the fact,—whites in any other civilized community would have been considered an aggravation of the atrocity—that the perpetrators were 'cool, calm, and deliberate.' The editor of this same journal, 'a minister of the Gospel, adds: 'We unhesitatingly affirm that the punishment was unequal to the crime. Had we been there, we should have taken a part, and even suggested the propriety of pieces out of him with red-hot pincers, the cutting off of a limb at a time, and then burning him all to a crisp.'"

A New-York "local paper" alluded to, is the Knoxville Whig, of which I am the sole editor, and have been for the last thirteen years—a paper having a larger circulation than any paper ever published in East Tennessee. And I am the "Minister of the Gospel," to which a local minister of the Methodist Church in the vicinity attributed to me are correct, and if I had been present, and there had been no necessity for my doing so, I would have done just what I then stated, and I would have called it "cool, calm, and deliberate," in so doing, as this is our mode of doing things "down South." And why? Because some Anti-Slavery fanatics, mostly from the North, were making a fuss about the treatment and cooking to resume the negro. But what was the negro's offence? I will state this, as my own knowledge, as it occurred in the adjoining County of Jefferson. The negro man, about 40 years of age, was owned by a Mr. Mason, and was raised by Mr. Mason's relatives. Mason and his wife were members of the Methodist Church—very clever, [illegible]

[illegible] the rage of the worthless citizen, (Bass,) who by depriving the nation, placed himself in the highest seat of the Republic.

Whilst in his dream of future glory, and when he already thought himself absolute master of the nation, his pride was humbled. Not satisfied with having worked the ruin of his country by his errors and misconduct, he has combined with the chief of the enemies of our national independence, (Santana,) and joined, with him, the iniquitous plan of dividing between them (he spoils of the country; of this country, which fourteen years of incessant sufferings and continued struggles have made it so beloved by its sons. Infamous man! Whilst he concerted with the enemy of the nation upon the most certain way of loading with chains this country which had nurtured him, and which he, ungrateful viper, had vitilized, so at the time predicted the proximate invasion, and pretended to feel the most poignant grief. The hypocrite!

Dominicans! The battle-fields of Sanchez, Savana Large, Santomie and Cambronal, covered with the remains of the numerous enemy which were killed, then and still reeking with the blood shed by the *valiant soldiers of liberty, for the independence of* their country, are silent but eloquent witnesses of your valor and intrepidity, and at the same time are a doleful memento to the dismayed troops of the enemy, who never would again have dared to tread *on Dominican territory, if the bloodthirsty enemy of* our nationality had not made them believe that the Dominicans of Cebas had asked for assistance to overthrow the Government of Señor Baez. A falsehood designed for the purpose that he may insinuate himself into our territory without apparently breaking the truce entered into with this republic.

Dominicans: The vile traitor of Señor Baez has placed the country in danger. Upon your valor and patriotism its safety depends. Upon the Government devolves the duty of taking the most efficacious means to repel the invasion and secure victory; and it is for posterity to give impartial judgment. A judgment terrible for tyrants and traitors—honorable and noble for the defenders of their country.

Liberty, national independence, and union forever!

Given in the National Palace, in Santiago de los Caballeros, 16th August, 1857, 14th year of the nation, first of liberty.

THE METROPOLITAN POLICE.

First Quarterly Report of the General Superintendent.

General Superintendent Tallmadge sent in the following (his first) quarterly report to the Police Board:

Office Superintendent Metropolitan Police, No. 22 Whitestreet, New-York, Sept. 3, 1857.

To the Presidents of the Board of Commissioners of the Metropolitan Police District—Sir: In compliance with the provisions of the act of the Legislature entitled "An act to establish a Metropolitan Police District, and to provide for the government thereof, passed April 15, 1857," requiring "the General Superintendent of Police to make to the Board of Police quarterly reports in writing of the state of the Metropolitan Police Districts, with such statistics and suggestions as he may deem advisable for the improvement of the police government and discipline of said District," I respectfully report:

That although this act was to take effect immediately after its passage, the organization of the department was greatly impeded, and its efficiency retarded, by the hostile action of the City government, which was only arrested by the action of the highest judicial tribunal of the State.

The constitutionality of this law having been questioned, many of the officers attached to this department availed themselves of the illegal opposition to the act, and refused to comply with its requirements; hence, with few exceptions, no full or adequate returns of delinquents were made, until after the adjudication of the Court of Appeals sustaining the act, when a reluctant acquiescence with its provisions was manifested by a portion of the officers who were attached to the department. In addition to which, we have been greatly embarrassed by the refusal to surrender the use and occupation of the station houses, telegraph apparatus and their appurtenances so necessary for the efficient action of the department; superadded to which the bitter and determined hostility to the enactment has been leveled to render it obnoxious and impair its usefulness, until its utility and efficiency have been manifested by the determined perseverance of Commissioners of Police and the zeal and activity of their subordinates. I refer to these acts as affording the reason why the reports of officers of violations of law, and of arrests up to about the 23d of July, (when we obtained possession of the Station-houses,) were so meagre and unsatisfactory.

The Station-houses and telegraphic apparatus being withheld from our use, the substitution of other buildings, ill adapted for police purposes, while it subjected the City to a greatly increased expense, has imperfectly subserved the objects for which they were obtained.

Attached hereto, and marked A, is the report of Deputy Superintendent Carpenter, exhibiting the state of the force, and the number of arrests made in the City of New-York, and certifying the offences, since the organization of the Metropolitan Police; and extending up to the 1st of September instant, and which, I am gratified to say, presents strong evidence of an efficiency on the part of the Metropolitan Police of the City of New-York, under all its attendant embarrassments, which has never been surpassed, if equalled, by the police of this City.

It is more gratifying, when you recur to the fact that up to the middle of July our whole force had hardly equalled five hundred men, and at the present time is but eight hundred and sixty, while the municipal force constituting the old police at the time of their disbandment, on the 2d of July last, consisted of about twelve hundred men.

The number of arrests made up to the 1st of September, amounts to 7,122, embracing about every description of offence.

It must be apparent that the efficiency of a police is in a great measure dependent upon its numerical strength, and when the Commissioners advert to the fact that this limited patrol force is necessarily greatly reduced by the large number detailed for duty at the Criminal Court, Police office, at the offices of the Commissioners, the General and Deputy Superintendent, and at other localities where their presence is required, I trust that the results of their active duty will command your approval.

As their Superintendent I am happy to report to the Commissioners that the officers, without exception, have cheerfully responded with cheerfulness and alacrity to the orders that have emanated from their superiors, while the severe injuries to which many of the patrolmen have been subjected in the performance of their duty, and in some cases resulting even to the loss of life, will secure to them your approval.

Accompanying this report, I transmit a return by Deputy-Superintendent Folk, of Brooklyn, of the force under his immediate command, and the condition of the Station-houses, and the number of arrests made in that city since 23d of April last.

I cannot close this branch of my report without expressing my deep sense of obligation to Deputy-Superintendent Carpenter for his active and judicious conduct in the honorable position that he occupies. Intelligent and untiring in his zeal to perform his whole duty, combined with great experience, I have found him a most useful and indispensable adviser and auxiliary in organizing and perfecting the machinery of this department; and I add with pleasure the expression of my high appreciation of the services of Deputy-Superintendent Folk, of the city of Brooklyn, whose official worth and usefulness have so often secured to him not only the suffrages of his fellow-citizens, but the approbation of the municipal authorities of the city of Brooklyn.

In examining the various Station-houses in the City of New-York I find, with the exception of the sub-Station-house in the First Precinct, at Trinity-place, the Station-houses in the Fourth, Twenty-first, and Twenty-second Precincts, the residue are in good condition, and by the addition of some few conveniences would be adapted to the purposes to which they are applied.

The sub-station-house in the First Precinct is most uncomfortably and unfavorably located, in a dark and unwholesome street, or rather alley, and greatly out of repair. It is not a fit abode for your officers or men, or receptacle for prisoners.

The Station-house in the Fourth Precinct requires the immediate attention of the Commissioners. Those whose duty requires their attendance at this house complain almost daily of the inconvenience and unfitness for the purpose for which it was designed.

The Station-house in the Twenty-first Precinct is equally objectionable in point of fitness and locality. It is not a little remarkable that a building inconvenient in locality, being near the southern and western line of the Ward, leased by the Corporation from its owner from year to year, and in a dilapidated condition, should be retained or occupied for such a purpose, when some years since, from a sense of its inconveniences, the Corporation purchased a lot of ground in a central and eligible position in the Ward, and of ample dimension, with the express intention of erecting a Station-house upon it, and I am informed made the necessary appropriation for its erection.

I respectfully ask the attention of the Commissioners to this subject, as well as to the Station-house in the Twenty-second Precinct, which is too contracted and inconvenient for its inmates.

In compliance with the requirements of the law, on the 5th day of July I issued an order requiring the Captains or Inspectors of Police, in the City of New-York, to cause their respective patrolmen to notify vendors of liquors within their respective beats that the law required them to close their stores or abstain from selling liquors on the Sabbath.

In the month of July I caused notices to be served on the masters or owners of steamboats plying upon our waters, accompanied by a synopsis of the law enacted for the preservation of the lives of our citizens who use those conveyances, requiring of them, under the legal penalties therein imposed, a compliance with its provisions. Subsequently, I detailed intelligent officers to examine personally such boat propelled by steam upon our waters, and to report their condition, equipment, &c. A copy of the report made to me I have the honor to transmit to the Commissioners. The original was transmitted to the District-Attorney for his action against the delinquents. The examination and report, I have reason to believe, have had a beneficial effect in correcting abuse where they existed, and thus securing increased safety to the traveling community.

In compliance with the requisitions of the Commissioners for selecting new quarantine ground, erecting buildings, &c., of the Health Officer, and in compliance with your directions I detailed several squads of men for the protection of the buildings at the old and new Quarantine, in Richmond County, and for the [illegible] of violators of the Quarantine laws. The objects of their detachment have been fully accomplished, and the exigency having passed, for which their services were required, they have returned to duty.

It may not be inappropriate here to remark that the timely aid afforded by the Commissioners of Police to the Commissioner of Quarantine and Health Officer, in the preservation of public property and enforcing our Quarantine laws in a county other than New-York, (objects in which the whole State and country were interested,) was the exercise of a power, so beneficially conferred by the act constituting the Metropolitan District, and which no local municipal government could legally exercise.

In conclusion, I most respectfully, but earnestly urge the Commissioners of Police to complete the appointment of officers for the several precincts. At present there are but eight captains or inspectors, when the service requires twenty-two, and but fifty-five sergeants where eighty-eight are required, and for which increased numbers the law makes provision.

It is needless for me to say, that the efficiency of this, as well as *every other force, depends in a great* measure upon the discipline, elevated character, and honorable bearing of its officers. There should be an *officer of a high grade in command of every precinct.* Subordinates cannot command the respect, or efficiently exercise the authority of superior officers.

It is very doubtful that the patrol force should be immediately increased. From a force reduced from 1,200 to 850, the former and present force, with an increased and rapidly-increasing population, with the continued extension of our habitable dwellings and workshops upon our island, public security, and personal safety require an increase rather than a reduction of the former numerical strength of this Department.

Several of the Precincts in this City require increase of force—such as the First, Fourth, Seventh, Thirteenth and Seventeenth, which, from our limited number of men, we cannot assign them; in addition to which, it is apparent that an efficient River Police, sufficient to afford more protection to the vast amount of property which is constantly exposed to the depredations of desperate river thieves on the wharves, and on board of vessels lying in your river, is absolutely necessary; and we can ill withdraw from our land patrol a number of men adequate for such a purpose, without greatly exposing the dwellings, stores, and even the persons of our citizens.

But if we are to be restricted by the Board of Supervisors, from whatever motive, to the present inadequate force, you may rest assured that no effort shall be wanting on the part of the Police to afford every protection that our limited and restricted means will afford; and in case complaints shall continue to be made, and violations of law and breaches of the public peace shall continue to increase in our City, let the charge of inefficiency and culpable neglect of duty rest upon that branch of the City Government who, with a perfect knowledge of the wants of their constituency, wantonly withholds the means necessary for their protection. Respectfully,

F. A. TALLMADGE, Superintendent of Police.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Decisions in Admiralty.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.—Sept. 12.

COLLISION—WILLFUL.

Russel Sturgis vs. Steamboat R. L. Maybey.—Nelson, C. J.—The libel was filed in this case by the libelant, owner of the steam-tug *Hector*, to recover damages for a collision with the steamship *Maybey*, which occurred outside Sandy Hook on the morning of the 11th August, 1854. The brig *Wanderer* was coming up slowly in a northwestern course, preparatory to entering the Bay when the two tugs started in opposite directions, for her, advancing, the one on a southwesterly, and the other on a southeasterly course, with a view to the job of taking off her passengers, or towing her to the City.

The two tugs were a mile or a mile and a half apart when they started for the brig—the *Hector* rather nearest to her, but the *Maybey* the fastest vessel. The proofs are very confused as taken, and contradictory. But one question of fact seems to be undisputed, and that is, that both tugs started for the brig about the same time, and each with the avowed intent of reaching her first, so as to secure the job. Orders were given on board each vessel to this effect, and which appear to have been carried out with a reckless indifference as to the consequences. The tugs met head and head at the brig—the *Hector*, the smaller vessel, getting the worst of it. It is impossible to say, so contradictory is the evidence, which vessel first arrived at the brig to speak her. The truth, no doubt, is that there was very little difference in point of time, not sufficient, probably, to put either vessel in fault in this respect. As a general rule, no doubt, the tug first arriving to speak for the employment is entitled to its position, and another approaching must see to it, that a collision is avoided. On this ground alone, I think, the decree below dismissing the libel is justified. In order to have sustained the suit, it should have been shown that the *Hector* had first arrived, and was entitled to the privilege of the position. If the *Maybey* was there first, it was the duty of the *Hector* to have passed on the other side of the brig, or ported her helm and passed both vessels to the right. We cannot say upon the proofs that she had acquired the privileged position; on the contrary, they are equally strong that the rival tug had obtained it. Considerable pains have been taken to show that the tug approaching the brig in the wake of its course, is entitled to the privilege of first speaking to her, as she is in a situation to enter, at once, upon towing. But, we see no reason or propriety in this view of the case. The first step is to speak to the vessel, and ascertain if she desires assistance. It is time enough to place the brig in a position to tow after the engagement is made for the service. The *Maybey*, therefore, had the same right to approach the head of the brig, as the *Hector* the stern.

The learned court below put the decision mainly upon the ground, that the collision occurred by the willful fault, or intentional wrong of both parties, and consequently, the vessel complaining having voluntarily taken her chances in the collision, must abide her loss. It has been insisted, that admitting this to be so, then both vessels being in fault, the libel should not have been dismissed, but the damage apportioned. We have found no case where the apportionment has been made in a case like the present, namely, the collision occurring by the willful, and intentional act of both parties; and we shall not be the first to make the precedent. If two vessels choose, voluntarily, to take the chances of knocking off each other's heads, we shall lay down no rule that will invite the unfortunate one into a Court of Admiralty for redress. The remedy for the owner is to discharge his master and crew, and man his vessel with competent and prudent hands.

The decree of the court below affirmed.

STIPULATION—THE REFUSE DISCHARGES THE VESSEL ABSOLUTELY.

Steamship Union vs. John Henderson et al.—Nelson, C. J.—This is a libel filed by the owners of the ship *Charles* against the steamship *Union* for a collision occurring off Cape Hatteras on the morning of the 23d of February, 1854. The *Charles* was on a voyage from New-Orleans to Baltimore, and was overtaken in a violent gale of wind at the place mentioned; and was obliged to lie to under a close-reefed maintopsail and foretopmast staysail. The *Union* was on her usual trip from Charleston to New-York.

The decree in the Court below was in favor of the libelants, which upon the proofs we are satisfied is correct, and should be affirmed. The questions presented on the appeal relate more particularly to the amount of damages. The libel claimed $4,000.

The owners appeared as claimants, to defend, and two of them Spofford and Tileston, entered into the usual stipulation for costs and value of the vessel, the latter to the extent of $4,000, the damages claimed in the libel; upon duly entering into which, the vessel was discharged from the arrest. She was discharged by an order of the court on the 7th March, 1854, and passed into the hands of the owners. On the 27th May following, the libelants amended the libel, claiming eight instead of four thousand dollars damages. The interlocutory decree was entered on the 13th of April, 1855, and was general in its terms, condemning the steamship *Union* to the amount of the damages sustained by the collision in the pleadings mentioned—referring the case to a Commissioner to ascertain and compute the amount. A great deal of evidence was heard before this officer, upon the question, and on the 19th May, 1856, he reported the amount at $7,834 75 with interest. Exceptions were taken to the report, but overruled, and a final decree entered before Judge Ingersoll, on the 10th of June, 1856, for the amount reported. This decree further declares, that unless an appeal be taken from the decree, the stipulators pass into the registry the amount of the stipulations for costs and value, and that the Clerk distribute the proceeds.

On the 3d December, 1856, a motion was made, on behalf of the libelants, that the claimants bring the ship or proceed into court, or in default thereof, that the stipulation be increased, and a decree of the court thereon, for the full amount of the damages decreed. Which motion was opposed. On this motion the claimants read an affidavit showing that after the vessel was discharged from the arrest on the stipulation, and on or about the middle of March, 1856, she sailed for Europe, and was delivered to a company who had purchased her, and that the claimants have had no interest in her since.

On the 20th December, Judge Isaacson decreed and ordered that the claimants redeliver to the Marshal the vessel, that she may be taken to satisfy the decree rendered in the cause; but it being represented that she is beyond their control, that the claimants pay into the registry the sum of ten thousand dollars, a part of the purchase money of the said ship, and that the same be taken as a sufficient compliance with the order to redeliver.

The case, in this stage of it, is now before this court on the appeal.

It is to be observed, in the first place, that this is a proceeding in rem, the owners appearing to defend as claimants, on entering into the usual stipulation. No decree, therefore, can be rendered personally against them, except as stipulators in the suit; and, of course, only to an amount provided for in their stipulation. Hence the decree in this case, so far as it affects personally the owners, is properly limited to that amount; and, also, to the two owners, Spofford & Tileston, who were the only parties to the stipulation; in other words, the decree as against them is for $4,000 and costs.

The question, therefore, as to any further liability turns upon the validity of the subsequent order to redeliver the vessel into the custody of the Marshal, or in default thereof to pay into the registry the sum of $10,000. This order assumes that the discharge of the vessel from the seizure, and delivery to the owner, is not absolute, but that she is still subject to the exercise of the power of the Court [illegible] of satisfying any decree. No [illegible] in which this power of the Admiralty has been exerted. And, on principle, we do not well see how it can be maintained. The vessel, after discharge from the arrest upon giving the bond or stipulation, returns into the hands of the owner, subject to all previously existing liens or charges, the same as before the seizure, except as respects those to secure for which the seizure was made. It is also subject to any subsequently accruing liens or charges in the hands of the owner, or in the hands of whomsoever it may have been transferred. The redelivery, therefore, of the vessel, if permitted, or enforced, must necessarily be a redelivery subject to all these existing or subsequently accruing liens; and, also, to the rights of any *bona fide* purchasers if a sale in the meanline had taken place. The complication and embarrassment growing out of the exercise of the power, if sanctioned, is apparent, and, doubtless, accounts for the absence of any precedent to be found in the books. In the case before us the vessel has been sold, and passed into the hands of the purchaser, and his title we think is undisputed. It is so for the reason that, on the discharge of the vessel, on giving the bond or stipulation, she is thereby discharged from the lien or encumbrance which constituted the foundation of or the proceedings against her, the security taken being the substitute for the vessel.

This view, we think, is strengthened by the provisions of the act of March 2, 1848, which provides, in case of a warrant against the vessel, or other process in law, it shall be the duty of the Marshal to *stay the execution of the process or to discharge the property arrested, if the same has been levied on*, on receiving from the claimant a bond or stipulation in double the amount by the libelant, &c.

According to the terms of this act the tender of the proper security in time would seem to prevent even the arrest of the vessel, and, of course, in such a case there could be no claim to a redelivery.

We agree, if there has been any mistake or fraud committed in entering into the stipulation, and the vessel improvidently discharged, it would be competent for the Court to relieve the parties concerned on an application, within a reasonable time, by ordering the vessel back into the custody of the officer. But this is wholly a different question from the one we are discussing.

Then as to that part of the decree or order requiring the claimants to pay in a portion of the purchase money. If the vessel is not subject to the exercise of this power of the Court, to be redelivered to the custody of the Marshal, to be applied to the payment of the damages, it follows that the proceeds of a sale are not. They cannot in this respect be distinguished from the vessel itself.

We must, therefore, reverse the decree or order directing the redelivery of the vessel or payment of the $10,000 into the registry, and affirm the decree against the stipulation.

Singer & Clark vs. G. H. Wooster, et al.—Nelson, C. J.—This is a motion for an injunction for an alleged infringement of a patent granted to I. M. Singer for a new and useful improvement in sewing machines, on the 30th May, 1854.

Among other improvements, the patentee claims an arrangement for the employment of lateral pressure, by means of a cam or lever, or the equivalent, to act against, and in combination with the needle at or near the end of its perforating motion to insure the proper position of the needle, however flexible, that the looping apparatus (one hook) may enter properly between the needle and its thread. A particular description of the arrangement is given by the patentee, and it is not denied but that it is new and useful, and especially so in the working of the machines of the patentee.

The only question raised upon the motion, on the part of the defendants, is as to the fact of infringement. The affidavits are contradictory upon this part of the case, the defendants disclaiming the use of the cam or its equivalent, for the purpose specified in the complainants' patent. It is admitted that in the machines the needle, as it passed through the cloth, entered a groove for the purpose of supporting it in a vertical position, so that the hook or creasing apparatus would not draw it out of line; and it is claimed that this is the only use of the cam or breast-plate in the defendants' machine. The groove on the cam of the complainants' machine is so reversed, at the entrance, so as to deflect the needle and place it firmly in a position so as to insure the action of the hook in the loop and prevent the failure of the stitch. It is this arrangement which the defendants deny as used in their machine. They allege that it is unimportant to have the needle touch the bottom of the groove, and that the only use of it is to prevent its being drawn out of line laterally. This is prevented by the side of the groove.

Several of the defendants' machines were produced in Court, but it is difficult to determine the question on mere inspection. It is certain that the cam or groove plate in the defendants' machine is so constructed, that a slight change would give to the machine the benefit of the complainants' arrangement. Whether it is necessary or not to the working of it, I am unable at present to say, or whether if it worked with the change so as to use this arrangement is not clear upon the affidavits.

We shall, for the present, deny the motion for the injunction, but with liberty to the complainants to renew it upon further evidence, if in the manufacture of the machines of defendants the arrangement in question is found or need.

Motion for injunction denied.

PRACTICE ON APPEALS.

The United States vs. The Steamship Washington.—This was a motion to dismiss an appeal. Judge Nelson in deciding the motion, said "Talcacse comes up in rather a peculiar manner. It was a libel of information against the vessel for an alleged breach of the Revenue Laws, in other words, for smuggling. The claimants demurred to the libel mainly on the ground that there was no attempt of any seizure of the vessel by the Collector or any other person by his authority. That question came up before Judge Ingersoll, who overruled the demurrer and made a decree for the Government, with leave to the claimants to answer over, which they did. The question afterwards came up again on the libel and answer before Judge Hall, without any proofs being taken. The answer denied that the goods were brought in without a permit, a replication was put in and so the matter coming up before Judge Hall, I find a decree on file sustaining the demurrer and giving the Government leave to amend in sixty days, holding that the libel was defective for want of an allegation that the vessel had been seized by the Collector before the filing of the libel. The Government refused to amend, and the decree became absolute in favor of the respondents. From that decree this appeal is brought. It seems to have been taken after the decree became absolute, but by some slip, no doubt, the notice of appeal refers to that decree only—and now the motion is made to set it aside, and the counsel for the respondents claim that that was not a final decree from which an appeal could be taken. No doubt it was not when entered, but it became absolute, and although technically, perhaps, the notice of appeal should have been general, yet the objection is very technical. We cannot avoid seeing that the appeal was intended to be from that decree of Judge Hall, when it had been made absolute. My opinion, therefore, is that the appeal is well enough, and the motion must be denied. I must confess I don't see how that decree of Judge Hall can be sustained. Here was a demurrer overruled point blank by Judge Ingersoll, with leave given to answer. Here is an answer, putting the facts at issue, and the next thing we find is a decree of Judge Hall sustaining the demurrer. Counsel had better look to it."

Motion denied.

For the United States Mr. Joachimsen. For claimants, Mr. Cutting.

SUPREME COURT—General Term.—Sept. 16.

Before Hon. Justices Mitchell, Clerke and Davis.

PROHIBITION.

THE NILES AND MARINE COURT CONTEST.

The People ex rel. Geo. W. Niles vs. The Judges of the Marine Court.—In this case a Mr. Lapaugh objected to appearing in a case where Mr. Niles was in opposition, on the ground that Niles had been sentenced to the State Prison. The Judges of the Marine Court held that Mr. Niles was not entitled to practice therein. It was then carried to the Supreme Court and the judgment affirmed. It was then taken to the General Term, and this morning the Court decided that the motion to restore Mr. Niles' name to the roll of Attorneys and to vacate the order striking it off must be denied.

Wm. B. Fitch vs. The Mayor, &c., of New-York.—In this case a verdict was taken subject to the opinion of the Court. The defendant is entitled to judgment unless both parties prefer a new trial.

The Winsted Bank vs. Cornell.—Judgment affirmed with costs.

John Hoey vs. Thomas Kenny and Owen Kenny.—Order of Special Term affirmed with costs.

Wallace and Paige vs. Romaine; The Same vs. Young.—Judgment for plaintiffs with costs.

John Clark, Jr., vs. George Clark.—Injunction to be modified in the respect mentioned in the opinion; no costs to either party.

Hartack, &c., vs. Jacob H. Vanderbilt.—Judgment for plaintiff affirmed with costs.

Benjamin Mead vs. Wm. Mitchell, Trustee, &c.—By consent heard before Justices Rosevelt and Palmer.)—Order requiring the purchaser to complete his purchase affirmed with costs.

Lawrence Dwenigale, plaintiff, appellant, vs. J. Dwenigale, administrator, &c., of James Dwenigale, deceased.—The judgment dismissing the complaint affirmed with costs; the entry of an order made at a former term to be vacated.

Moses W. Mitchell, &c., vs. Moses Rahman.—Order of special term affirmed without costs.

Wm. P. Tuck, administrator, vs. Phoby Arcularius, &c.—Decree of Surrogate affirmed.

The Brooklyn White Lead Co., vs. John W. Mowry.—Order appealed from modified, so that the defendant be restrained from the use of the word "Co.," or "Company," without costs.

Chas. H. Marshall vs. Edward Banks.—Judgment for plaintiff affirmed, with costs.

Albert L. Collin, vs. Calvin O. Billings.—Judgment for plaintiff affirmed with costs.

S. Palmer vs. Michael Miller.—Judgment for plaintiff affirmed with costs.

Daniel Griffin vs. Daniel W. Eames.—Order of arrest discharged with costs.

Benoni J. Campbell vs. John P. Ferris.—The motion for leave to introduce new evidence is to be heard again when the cause shall be heard on the merits. The Court can better judge of its materiality, and will also pass on the question whether in any case an appeal from a Surrogate's decree may introduce should be received.

The People vs. John McGarnick.—Order remanding defendant to prison affirmed.

The Bridgeport Point Manufacturing Company vs. [illegible]

[illegible]

Edward F. Cowles, Surrogate, Appellant, vs. The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., Respondent.—Appeal from Surrogate's decree, with leave to answer on payment of costs.

Michael Spear vs. The New-York State Company.—Judgment to be enforced, with costs.

John Berry, Receiver, vs. D. B. De Witt.—Special Term reversed, and Receiver directed to pay the proceeds of sales to Robert A. Swartwout, to whom they belong.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term.

The People ex rel. Patrick Murphy vs. Robert et al., Police Commissioners.—This was a motion to discharge petitioner from the Police Force, on a writ of certiorari issued to the Commissioners of Police, to review a decision compelling the petitioner to resume his duties. Judge Paterson gave the decision above cited, and granted the writ, which was yesterday returned by the Commissioners.

The counsel for the Police Commissioners, Mr. Moyse and Vanderpoel, made objection to the form of the writ, urging that it should be directed to the Board of Police, instead of the Police Commissioners. Mr. Moyse thought that no motion to quash the writ was necessary.

Mr. Dyott offered to amend the writ by making the Board of Police, instead of Police Commissioners.

The writ had been served on the petitioner, and that was necessary was to change the title.

His Honor concluded to adjourn the matter to Thursday (this) morning, when he will decide the question of whether the writ can be amended.

THE STREET COMMISSIONER'S CONTEMPT.

Daniel D. Conover vs. The Mayor, &c., of N.-Y.—This case was continued yesterday, Mr. Dillon praying notice of the whole day, so that the case will be resumed to-day at 11 o'clock.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Nathaniel L. Griswold, Langdon H. Mason.—Case settled, &c.

THE RAILROAD CASE.

The People ex rel. Sarah M. Pendleton vs. Pendleton.—Motion to postpone the hearing, taken, on account of the illness of Mr. Tilden, petitioner, granted.

SUPERIOR COURT—Special Term.

Geo. H. Ruggles vs. John Ruggles.—Motion to discharge the order of arrest in this case, argument yesterday. No decision, however, rendered.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

In this Court, yesterday, Richard [illegible] charged with aiding one Richard [illegible] to pass a counterfeit $5 bill on the Bank of Rhode Island. [illegible] bar-keeper of Smith's Saloon, corner of [illegible] and Fulton-street, in payment of refreshments and his complaints. Subpoenas were issued, and it appeared that Sherrebe, at least, did not know anything about the matter, his witnesses, several [illegible], proving a very respectable alibi. The case was acquitted.

ASSAULT ON THE SUPREME COURT.

Michael Wogan was placed on trial for an assault on the second degree. The case is [illegible] a great deal of uncertainty. On the morning of Feb. 2, the wife and [illegible] Bearns, No. 274 Front-street, was discovered on fire. When the firemen broke into the house they found the bed, fourth and [illegible] with barrels filled with shavings, and there was no doubt that the fire was the work of an incendiary. Some of these barrels of shavings were against what seemed to be [illegible] which really were barrels of Croton water. Mr. Bearns' store was a cooper's shop, and [illegible] leading to Mr. Bearns' [illegible] distinctly traceable, showing that the party entered by the [illegible] street. Chandelier reports Bearns at 6c. O'Brien reports Bearns at 8c.@10c. [illegible] reports Bearns at 8c.@10c.

RECEIPTS OF THE SAME MARKETS.

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COURT CALENDAR—Thursday, Sept. 17.

U. S. District Court.—Nos. 17, 34, 39, 44, 46, 56, 57.

Superior Court.—Circuit.—Nos. 37, 48, 50, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 70, 71, 72, 73.

NEW-YORK LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Prepared every week, expressly for the New-York Semi-Weekly and Weekly Times, by an experienced Reporter.

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 16, 1857.

The principal Market Places are the Washington Drove-Yards, on Brownie's, on Sixth-street; Chambers, on Twenty-second-street; and O'Brien's, on Sixth-street. The reports refer to these regular markets. Sales are sometimes made at Bergen Hill, N. J., from the Hudson River Boats.

The great sales day at the Washington Yards is WEDNESDAY of each week. The reports of the yards are made up for the preceding Wednesday evening of that day.

RECEIPTS OF ANIMALS AT THE PRINCIPAL MARKETS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPT. 15, 1857.

| Yards. | Beeves | | | | Cows | | | | Calves | | | | Sheep |

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SAMUEL McGRAW reports sales of

27 Sheep and Lambs at	$160 75
81 Sheep and Lambs at	108 00
127 Sheep and Lambs at	526 37
124 Sheep and Lambs at	490 37
60 Sheep and Lambs at	249 00
91 Sheep and Lambs at	310 50
88 Sheep and Lambs at	372 37
50 Sheep and Lambs at	149 00
31 Sheep and Lambs at	90 75
[illegible] Lambs at	24 25
19 Lambs at	26 75

SALES OF SHEEP AND LAMBS BY S. JUDD, AT CHAMBERLIN'S, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPT. 16, 1857.

No.	Amount.	Average Price.
401 Sheep sold for	$1,078 25	$2 64
95 Sheep sold for	208 00	2 72
129 Sheep sold for	480 00	3 72
34 Sheep sold for	119 24	3 51
25 Sheep sold for	75 00	2 50
203 Sheep and Lambs	649 25	3 20
150 Sheep and Lambs	561 25	3 67½
163 Sheep and Lambs	576 50	3 50
64 Sheep and Lambs	224 00	3 50
10 Sheep and Lambs	65 00	6 50
220 Sheep and Lambs	990 00	4 50
40 Sheep and Lambs	240 00	6 00
122 Sheep and Lambs	366 00	3 00
18 Sheep and Lambs	90 00	5 00
1,660	$6,309 50	
Average price ℔ head		$3,81

SWINE.

These are sold alive at so much ℔ lb., gross or live weight. Considerable numbers are sold at AZEL TOWT, Forty-fourth-street, and at various other yards, while large droves are sold direct from the cars or boats, and driven immediately to the various slaughter-houses.

Receipts of fat hogs have been large for a few days past, and we quote a slight decline in prices, with a disposition on the part of buyers to hold off for a further decline.

ALLERTON reports receipts of 2,841 hogs during the past week. Prices for live hogs ranged during the week at about 7¼c.@7½c. for corn fed, and 7c.@7½c. for still hogs. The supply is large, with a moderate demand. There is some inquiry after stock hogs at low prices, but nothing at present to supply it.

VAN BRUNT & WARNOCK, Pork-packers, No. 200 Chambers-street, report prices as follows:

CORN-FED.

Live.....7¼@7½ | Dressed.....9½

DISTILLERY.

Live.....6½@7 | Dressed.....9

Market well supplied and sales dull.

G. W. DORMAN, commission merchant, Nos. 5 and 6 Centre Row, West Washington Market, reports:

	Live.	Dressed.
Heavy corn Hogs	7¼@7½ gross.	9¼@9½ net.
Light corn Hogs	7¼@7½ gross.	9¼@9½ net.
Heavy Distillery Hogs	7½@7¾ gross.	8½@9 net.
Light Distillery Hogs	6¾@7 gross.	8½@9 net.
Stock Hogs	No sale.	

The demand for Live Hogs is somewhat limited in consequence of arrivals being larger than usual, and buyers holding off for a further decline in prices—leaving a considerable number of hogs on the market unsold.

Markets—*Carefully Reported for the New-York Times.*

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16, 1857—6 P. M.

ASHES—Are lightly dealt in at languid prices. Pearls, 7; Pots, 6⅞@7¼ ℔ 100 lbs. Saleratus, 7½c.; Sodaash, (80 ℔ cent.,) 3¼c.@3½c. ℔ lb.

COFFEE—The demand is moderate,—chiefly for Rio,—at unchanged prices. Java, 16½c.@17c.; Laguayra, 15c.@13½c.; Jamaica, 13c.; Maracaibo, 13c.@13½c.; Rio, 10½c.@12½c.; St. Domingo, 11½c.@11½c.; Native Ceylon, 13c., ℔ lb.

COTTON—Is dull and nearly, as previously represented. The monetary embarrassments retard operations. Some owners are exporting on their account.

NEW-YORK CLASSIFICATION:

	Uplands.	Florida.	Mobile.	New-Orleans and Texas.
Ordinary	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Middling	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Middling Fair	16½	16½	16¾	17
Fair	16¾	16¾	nom.	nom.

DRY GOODS—The business of the week has been pretty extensive,—most factors, especially such as owned undesirable stocks, having met the requirements of buyers with eagerness. Prices, however, have been quite unsettled, only the choicest fabrics having realized anything like satisfactory figures. The pressure of supplies through the auction-rooms is still very serious; and the sales effected there are discouraging in their results and injurious in their effects. Yet, money is needed, and goods must be disposed of by weak holders, even at prices which do not cover first cost in order to secure means to carry them through the existing crisis. The heavy failures reported during the week indicate the extent to which the trade is embarrassed by the prevailing financial difficulties. Still, all circumstances being considered, the distress is not alarming, nor is there any likelihood of its becoming so. Our oldest merchants express no anticipation of darker times than those recently passed through, and any permanent change in the condition of affairs must be for the better.

FISH—The supplies of the leading kinds are heavier, but the demand is slack, and prices lean in favor of buyers. Dry Cod $3 75@$4 37½ ℔ cwt. Pickled Cod, $4 ℔ barrel. Mackerel, $15@$16 25 for small No. 1; $12@$12 25 for large No. 2; $12 25@$12 50 for small and medium No. 2; $6 50@$6 75 for large No. 3; and $5 50@$6 25 for medium do., ℔ bbl. Pickled Salmon, $22@$23 50 ℔ bbl., and $31@$34 ℔ c. Smoked Herring, 47½c.@50. for scaled, and 25c.@30c. for No. 1, ℔ box. Pickled Herring, $3 75@$3 87½ ℔ bbl.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The market exhibits increasing firmness and buoyancy, for desirable lots of State and Western Flour, especially of superfine grades, for which a lively inquiry prevails. Sales 8,400 bbls.

Ordinary State	$5 40@ 5 50
Straight State	5 50@ 5 60
Extra State	5 65@ 5 75
Superfine Indiana and Michigan	5 25@ 5 45
Superfine Ohio	5 45@ 5 55
Fancy Ohio	5 60@ 5 70
Extra Indiana and Michigan	5 50@ 7 25
Extra Ohio	5 75@ 7 50
Fancy Genesee	5 80@ 6 00
Extra Genesee	6 25@ 8 00
Extra Missouri	6 20@ 8 50

Canadian is steadily improving. Sales 700 bbls. superfine to extra, in lots, at from $5 35@$7 10 ℔ bbl. Southern is brisker and firmer. The transactions since our last comprise about 2,600 bbls. low mixed to choice extra, at $5 60@$7 75 ℔ bbl. Rye Flour is inactive, but worth $4 10@$5 30 for fine to superfine, ℔ bbl. Corn Meal is quiet, yet steady, at $4 10@$4 20 for Jersey, and $4 40@$4 50 for Brandywine ℔ bbl. The latter commands $19 50@$20 50 ℔ puncheon.

GRAIN—Wheat is brisker and dearer, the requirements of buyers being in excess of the current receipts. Sales 42,500 bushels, including ordinary to fair white, at $1 27@$1 28; ordinary to prime red do., at $1 05@$1 21; amber-colored do., at $1 25; fair to prime white Southern, at $1 40@$1 50; mixed do., at $1 38; and fair to choice red do. at $1 25@$1 35 ℔ bushel. Rye is plentier and cheaper. Sales: 6,500 bushels, at 80c.@85c. ℔ bushel. Barley is inactive and languid, at 86c.@90c. for ordinary to prime ℔ bushel. Oats are very dull, and are down to 31c.@33c. for Western; 35c.@36c. for State; 40c.@44c. for Jersey; 35c.@38c. for Canadian; 38c.@42c. for Pennsylvania, and 36c.@40c. for Southern, ℔ bushel. Corn is still scarce and needed at firmer prices. Sales, 38,000 bushels, at from 73c.@80c. for mixed Western, in store and delivered, ℔ bushel.

HAY—Sales: 500 bales fair to strictly prime, at 55c.@75c. for new and old, ℔ 100 lbs. The highest rates were paid for only small lots, required for City use. The supply is ample of new, but is very limited of old. The last sale of salt Hay (which is out of market) was effected at 62½c. ℔ 100 lbs.

LIME—Rockland, 75c. for common and $1 05 for Lump ℔ bbl.

LUMBER—Is in firm request at full prices.

MOLASSES—Appears quite dull and heavy. Porto Rico, 35c.@50c.; Cuba Muscovada, 33c.@42½c.; Clayed Cuba, 30c.; and New-Orleans, 45c.@50c. ℔ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Crude Turpentine is plentier and being in slack request, prices of it lean in favor of buyers: $3 75@$3 87½ ℔ 280 lbs. Spirits do. is dull and heavy, at 46c.@47c. cash, for large and small lots, ℔ gallon. Tar is inactive and languid, at $1 87½@$2 37½, according to quality, ℔ bbl. Resin is very moderately dealt in and is depressed, at $1 85@$1 90 for common, ℔ 310 lbs.; $3@$5 for No. 1, and $5@$7 25 for White and Pale, ℔ 280 lbs. Pitch sells slowly and irregularly, at $2@$2 25 ℔ bbl.

OIL CAKE—City thin oblong, in bbls. $41@$42; Country thin, $34@$34 50; Country thick, at $31@$32, ℔ ton.

OILS—Crude Whale appears inactive, yet steady, at 72c.@75c. ℔ gallon. Crude Sperm is in fair demand, and is worth $1 30 ℔ gallon. Refined Whale and Sperm continue quiet at old rates. Red Oil, 60c.@62½c. ℔ gallon; Palm, 10c. ℔ lb.; Olive $1 27½@$1 32½ ℔ gallon, and $9 15 ℔ basket. American Linseed is salable and firm at 78c.@80c. ℔ gallon. Lard Oil, $1 15@$1 20 ℔ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork is in limited request at drooping rates. Sales: 475 bbls., in lots, $25 00@$26 for Mess; $26 25 for Clear; $23 25@$24 50 for thin Mess; $22 50 for prime Mess; and $21@$21 25 for Prime, ℔ bbl. Cut Meats are dull and heavy: 10c.@12½c. for Hams, and 11c.@11½c. for Shoulders ℔ lb. Western Smoked Bacon, 14½c.@15c. ℔ lb. Lard is very moderately inquired for, at easier prices. The transactions since our last reach about 200 bbls. and tcs., mostly fair to prime, at 15c.@15½c. ℔ lb. Beef is quiet, and languid. The transactions since our last consist of 16 bbls., at $15 75@$17 75 for repacked Western Mess and $18@$18 50 for extra Western do., ℔ bbl. New prime Mess Beef is, nominal, ℔ tc. Beef Hams, $23 50 ℔ bbl. Butter is in demand, and is steady at 15c.@16c. for Ohio, Western, for common to very good State, and 22c. asks for prime to choice do., ℔ lb. Cheese is salable and firm at 6c.@7½c. ℔ lb.

RICE—Continues the limited request, at languid rates. We quote Carolina in bulk (or prime) at 3½c. ℔ lb.

SALT—Is slightly dealt in at reduced prices. Liverpool ground, 75c.; do. fine, $1 15@$1 40 ℔ sack; Turk's Island, 42c.; St. C., [illegible] ℔ bushel.

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BOARDING.

BOARD WANTED IN BROOKLYN.—A single gentleman seeking the comforts of a pleasant home, would like to engage board with a private family, located within five minutes' walk of Wall-st. ferry. Unexceptional references given. Address NEWTON, at this office.

BOARD WANTED.—A GENTLEMAN WISHES a room and bedroom attached, with plain board for himself, wife and 3 children, in a small Christian family, where there are no other boarders. Between 25th and 30th sts. Address P. H., Box No. 475 stating location and terms.

BOARD.—WANTED BY TWO SINGLE GENTLEmen, board in a private family, or where there are but few boarders. Where they could enjoy the comforts of a home and ladies' society. Address, FREDERICK, *Times* office.

BOARDING.—A FAMILY OCCUPYING A FIRST-class house, in West 14th-st., will let, with board, the *second or third story*, handsomely furnished, to a gentleman and lady. *Address Box No. 1,861 Post-Office.*

BOARDING.—A PLEASANT FRONT PARLOR and bedroom on the second floor, may be obtained at No. 74 East 14th-st., near Union-square. Also, desirable rooms for single gentlemen. Dinner at 6 o'clock.

BOARDING.—NEW AND HANDSOMELY-FURnished rooms to let to single gentlemen, with partial board. Gentlemen wishing a pleasant home may find such by calling at No. 102 West 11th-st., between 5th and 6th avs. References exchanged.

BOARDING.—A PLEASANT SUITE, PARLOR and bedroom, also a single room, with board, can be obtained at No. 293 4th-av., corner 23d-st. References exchanged.

BOARDING.—A LADY INVALID CAN BE ACcommodated with board and attendance, where there are no boarders or children; location retired. Address SECLUSION, Post-Office, Station C—, New-York.

BOARD DOWN TOWN.—GENTLEMEN WITH their wives, or single gentlemen, either permanent, or transient, can be accommodated with double or single rooms at No. 6 Broadway, opposite the Bowling-green. Together with its convenience for business men, this house possesses the advantage of its contiguity to the several Ferries, to Quarantine, New-Brighton, Fort Richmond, &c. Various stage routes to all parts of the City concentrate here also.

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One of the most interesting incidents of the day is announced in the Circular of the Officers of the American Tract Society, which is published in another column of THE TIMES. They state that in consequence of the determined hostility of the clergy in the Southern States to the publication of any tracts on the subject of Slavery, they have decided to suspend all action under the resolution upon this subject, adopted by the Society at its last anniversary meeting, and even to suppress a tract which they had caused to be prepared upon the duties of masters. This tract was made up exclusively of the writings of Southern men, but this fact made not the slightest difference—it became evident to the Committee that nothing whatever would be published by the Society, on this subject, without forfeiting the whole support of the South, and closing that section of the Union to their publications. Under these circumstances they have decided to suspend all further action and await the directions of the Society. This announcement cannot fail to excite a good deal of feeling in the religious community, and will, undoubtedly, lead to a renewal of the contest which was supposed to have been ended by the action of last Society.

The Auditor of the Canal Department makes the very unwelcome announcement that a *suspension* of the Public Works seems to be inevitable after the 1st of October next. This is in consequence of the exhaustion of the public moneys applicable to Canal purposes, and the inability of the Commissioners of the Canal Fund to negotiate a loan on the credit of the Sinking Fund, for some months to come. The experience of the past shows conclusively how expensive such a step will be, and how detrimental it must prove to the public works and to the general interests of the State. The abandonment of any unfinished structure always leads to its premature decay, and the claims for damages which always follow from a general movement of this kind are certain to involve the State in enormous and utterly useless expenditures. The necessity for this measure just now grows out of the absurd and utterly useless restrictions upon the power of the State to contract debts for this specific purpose embodied in the Constitution of 1846. How the dilemma is to be overcome it is not easy at present to conjecture.

We publish in another part of this morning's paper some interesting letters from China. One of our correspondents states that the English Plenipotentiary will insist on the opening of nine ports, with the privilege of having a Consulate and a guard of soldiers at five of these ports, and a Consulate at the remaining four; he will also demand [illegible] dollars, the expulsion of forts, [illegible] land-in[illegible] to dictate [illegible] Peiho, on which river Pekin stands, and [illegible] arrived at the nearest point to the capital, he would then ask his Celestial Majesty an opportunity to recognize or repudiate the acts of his officers at Canton. Our correspondent, writing from Shanghae, states that the people at the North exhibit the utmost indifference about the war. This is important information, for it proves that the fight is a local one, and is confined very much, on the Chinese side, to Yeu and his Cantonese. In that case the Emperor may be expected to yield without any great display of force to the demands of the British Representative, backed as they will be by the French and American Ministers, and the war will be brought to a speedy and successful close.

By the arrival of the steamship *Catawba* at Charleston from Havana, we receive advices from that port to the 10th inst., and some items of news from California, Washington Territory, and the Sandwich Islands. Two slavers had been run ashore and burnt between Cardenas and Matanzas, and three cargoes of slaves had been landed in Cuba within a week. Business at Havana was unchanged. There is nothing of importance from California. STEVENSON's majority for Governor of Washington Territory was 517. Twenty Democrats, and five Republicans, had been elected to the Legislature.

The contract for carrying the United States Mail over the land route to California was signed in this City yesterday. Messrs. John Butterfield, William B. Dinsmore, William G. Fargo, Alexander Holland, J. V. P. Gardner, M. L. Kenyon, Hamilton Spencer and others are the contractors. The Government was represented by Mr. DUNDAS, second Assistant Postmaster-General. The contract, which is for seven six years, is to go into effect twelve months from date. Six hundred thousand dollars per annum is the price to be paid the contractors. It is understood that the contractors will form a joint stock company.

The Democrats of Massachusetts hold their State Convention, for the nomination of State officers, Tuesday of last week. The proceedings were harmonious. HENRY W. BEECHER, of Springfield, was nominated for Governor, and ALBERT CURRIER, of Newburyport, for Lieutenant-Governor.

The trial of JAMES P. DONNELLY, charged with having murdered a man named MORAN at the Shelter House, Hoboken, was continued yesterday, at Freehold. Considerable medical testimony was received relative to the [illegible] and witnesses were examined to show the circumstances connected with the death of MORAN, the [illegible] portion of which was produced some after the murder was committed.

A man named JACOB POWERS, a real-estate agent, was held to bail yesterday by Recorder SCOTT, in the sum of $500, for an alleged violation of the usury law.

The Cattle Markets have been largely oversupplied during the past week. Besides previous sales of more than a thousand head at Bergen and in the City, 3,232 were yarded at Forty-fourth-street, for yesterday's market. As a matter of course, prices declined materially, say half cent per lb. net on the best qualities, and more than one cent on poorer grades. Our report quotes the average decline at one cent per lb., which is equivalent to nearly ten per cent. The entire sales scarcely equaled ten cents per lb. for the dressed carcasses. This fall in the price of meat, together with the recent heavy decline in flour, sugar, &c., will lead the masses to consider these anything but "hard times." By reference to the Cattle Market Reports, it will be seen that there is already a pretty fair supply of beef-battle ready for next week.

The general appearance of the American Institute Exhibition, at the Crystal Palace, is improving rapidly. The number of exhibitors exceeds one thousand, and they are getting in their goods as fast as possible.

Kansas Politics and Prospects—Meeting of the Conventions.

Our Lecompton correspondence brings advices of the meeting and organization of the Constitutional Convention of Kansas. Gen. CALHOUN was elected President; but it is not anticipated that any important business will be done until after the Territorial election in October. That election is for members of the Legislature and for a delegate to Congress—the main interest of the struggle turning upon the latter. The Democratic candidate is Gov. RANSON—the Opposition support Mr. PARROTT. The old lines of division between Free-State and Pro-Slavery men do not characterize the opposing parties: PARROTT is openly in favor of making Kansas a Free State, but RANSON does not take ground against it. Indeed, it is not easy to detect the precise points of difference on this subject between the two candidates; and we suspect the contest turns more upon the general question of party ascendancy, than upon the immediate character and fate of the Territory itself. RANSON is the Democratic candidate, and represents the National Administration; and PARROTT represents the Opposition. The triumph of the former would be an administration triumph, and that of the latter would be an administration defeat; but we see no valid reason for supposing that either would make Kansas a Slave State.

This issue will be decided upon other grounds and by other influences. Governor WALKER's "isothermal" theory would probably settle it in the course of time; but the *will of the people* will anticipate its action. So far as we observe, it is universally conceded, North and South, that a decided majority of the people of Kansas are in favor of making it a Free State—and that this majority is largely and constantly increased by emigration into the Territory. In Kansas, as everywhere else in this country, the majority will rule. They may lose the ascendancy temporarily by fraud, by their own neglect or by overbearing violence; but their rights are sure to be vindicated, and their will enforced, whenever they resolve that it shall be done. If it be true, therefore, that the people of Kansas are opposed to Slavery, nothing can be more certain than that Kansas will be a Free State. *When* it shall become so depends solely upon themselves. The TIMES has insisted, ever since the Presidential election of last year, when it was determined decisively and conclusively that Congress would not exclude Slavery from Kansas,—that it was the duty of the Free-State settlers to go to the ballot box and do it themselves. Part of them, however, were just then in the heroic mood, and preferred to talk about Lexington and Bunker Hill and the sacred duty of resisting oppression even unto death. Others were in the vale of despondency and would not go to the polls, for fear they should be cheated or driven away. We are glad to see that time has induced both classes to take a more sensible, as well as a more hopeful view of the case,—and that they have now become aware of the necessity of voting, if they expect their votes to be counted. The Free-State Convention at Grasshopper Falls decided to take part in the coming election,—and although their address which we published on Saturday contained nothing but the resolutions and expressions which should animate a party, with such principles and such interests at stake, we hail the movement as one of promise,—as the only one, indeed, from which they had anything whatever to expect or hope. They may, or may not, succeed in October. In either case they will have made a beginning. They must gain something. They will, at the least, gain a foothold from which to make a better struggle next time; and the sooner this beginning is made, the nearer will they be to the victory which awaits them.

The question now most agitated is whether the new Constitution shall, or shall not, be submitted to the popular vote. We have no doubt as to the result:—the policy of submission will be carried. No party that has anything to lose dare resist it. Everybody must see that even if the People do not vote upon the State Constitution *before* admission, they will do so instantly afterwards. It is not in the power of the Convention, or of the Legislature, or of Congress, to fasten a Constitution upon Kansas which a majority of the People, if so disposed, cannot shake off the very next year. The folly of the exploit, therefore, even if it should succeed, ought to deter rational men from attempting it. Nothing could possibly be gained by its success,—while much would be lost to any party which should seriously undertake it. We have no faith in the devotion of President BUCHANAN or Governor WALKER to the interests or the principles of Freedom:—but we have a good deal of faith in their aversion to political suicide. The man who last week jumped off Table Rock in the hope to astonish the world by going over Niagara safely, had a much better chance of success than would attend either of these ambitious politicians in the effort to stem the tide of Northern sentiment in favor of allowing the people of Kansas to prohibit Slavery if they see fit. President BUCHANAN's glimpse of the Niagara of last November will effectually warn him against attempting such an exploit.

It is [illegible] that with the [illegible] of morality. When the long [illegible] are in question, the legitimate [illegible] of hair-splitting may well breed consequences as calamitous as to sentiment in shame and grief of heart the pleasant mental excitement which it yields. The "Yes, yes," and "Nay, nay," of the ancient moral Law, is after all the safest guide of individual life.

But those who make and those who administer the laws of great, progressive and civilized communities, are not at liberty to take refuge behind this sempiternal truth from the moral exigencies of *their* position. Wherever specific law intervenes in moral questions, infinite pains must be taken so to discriminate between the offences which society may legitimately resent, and those which must be left to the secret and majestic jurisprudence of the Almighty, as to avoid the contempt which unjust justice and iniquitous equity must inevitably bring upon the authorities of the State. For the purposes of human law and human police, a distinction does exist, and a very important distinction, between vice and crime, between those individual excesses and particular outrages which demand individual and specific interference; *because*, by such interference they may be adequately punished, and their recurrence repressed, and these vicious proclivities are of a generation, with which the law is impotent to deal *en masse*, and to deal with which, therefore, in detail, is to make the law either odious or ridiculous, as has been the case with the unfortunate attempts at legislation in this country on the subject of drunkenness.

This distinction, we think, has been lost sight of in two recent cases of police action in this City upon a class of vices which, although unhappily no more characteristic of this age and country than of any other, still pervade in one form or another the fabric of our civilization. That of all the vicious indulgences which demoralize the individual and enervate the commonwealth, none are so subtly and so extensively ruinous as those which pervert the sublimest physical instincts of man, and degrade the divine system of the sexual relations into a ministration of selfishness and sense, it is needless to say. The ethics of mankind and the close deductions of material science utter on this head but one voice. Yet of all vicious indulgences none are so widely spread as these, and the philosophic observer will find in the disorderly and chaotic state of the social system, a thousand reasons why a fact so melancholy should yet be a fact. It becomes, then, a very grave question how far it is politic or right for the authorities of the law to *dabble* with a difficulty so tremendous, and how far the interests of the State can be served by an activity which unquestionably does more to excite a prurient curiosity than to command an effective sympathy among the public at large.

About ten days since a descent was made, with much pomp of police and much parade of paragraphists, upon a house devoted to the most quiet if not to the least reprehensible purposes of an infamous calling. The "officer in command" upon the occasion loudly proclaimed his determination to deliver the City from a pest, upon which, as he knew and as everybody knows, the combined efforts of all the Metropolitan Policemen, backed by those of all the Municipal Policemen that there were, would make about as much impression in six months as Dame Partington's broom would effect in the space of a year upon the unavoidable advance of the Atlantic waves. What was the result of this proceeding? A sporadic uproar—a terrible fright inflicted upon a handful of people who were probably neither better nor worse than four-fifths of their fellow-citizens—a gross violation of official decorum by an extremely silly Policeman, who had already on a previous occasion earned his dismissal from a properly constituted force, by foolish and impertinent comments upon the "Municipal war," made in the course of a purely official report—and a *piquant* dish of scandal served up in half the families of the City.

Yesterday we had occasion to chronicle a second onslaught upon the strongholds of sin among us. The publication-office of a base and disgusting sheet was discovered, after a search very creditable to the officers who conducted it, and a vast quantity of obscene matter seized. So far we feel [illegible] the exhibition, but [illegible] of exciting this arsenal of abomination quietly and quietly going about the arrest and punishment of the offender in the case, the whole history of this vile creature and of his operations is published with circumstance to the world, and the rascals who haunt all the cities of the land are carefully informed that a profit of $10,000 or $12,000 *per annum* may be expected by anybody who will set about serving the lusts of the community in a similar way!

The impropriety and folly of such proceedings ought to need no comment. What earthly good can be done by the exposure of a hundred, or five hundred, or a thousand people who peddle corruption through the nation, which shall not be overbalanced a hundredfold by the revelation that respectable men, Bank Presidents and church members, "delight in profligacy, and maintain the servants of unrighteousness." The penalties which may deter from that crime, which is often a matter of the intellect and of calculation, are powerless before the vices which are but the angry activity of disordered passions. And it is truly the wiser policy to crush in silence wherever we find them, those priests and prophets of Belial and Ashtaroth, whom no shame can coerce, and no exposure humiliate.

THERE ARE NONE SO DEAF AS THOSE WHO WILL NOT HEAR.—The Richmond *South* says, in an article on Ex-President TYLER's letter to the Knoxville Convention: "We no longer hear an argument against the Slave-trade on the score of humanity." This may be true enough in the case of the *South*; and it must be confessed, too, that arguments against the Slave-trade are not quite so common as they used to be before that inhuman traffic was abolished by the common consent of all Christian nations; but, if any serious attempts should be made to revive it, the *South* may hear arguments enough against it, on the score of its inhumanity, as well as sundry other scores, if it should be disposed to listen to them.

The Tract Society's Circular—Action of the Committee.

The Committee of the American Tract Society have published a Circular, containing a very important announcement of their recent action. It will be remembered that for two or three years past there has been a very strenuous effort at the North to induce or coerce the Society to publish tracts upon Slavery as one of the sins against which a religious society was bound to make earnest and indignant protest. The severe and protracted controversy to which this movement gave rise was closed last Spring by what was claimed as a substantial triumph by those who had been its active leaders. The Committee were directed to prepare certain treatises upon the moral evils and practical immoralities of Slavery, for circulation throughout the country,—and it has been generally understood that they were engaged in this work. The religious public at large seemed satisfied with the action taken. The more conservative reconciled themselves to it by the hope that censure of the immoral *incidents* of Slavery would not of necessity involve any offensive denunciation of the Slaveholding class;—while the Anti-Slavery portion felt confident that the discussion once commenced must inevitably embrace the whole subject and end in making the Tract Society openly Anti-Slavery in all its action.

It seems from the Circular referred to, that the Committee has *been compelled to abandon* the attempt to discuss the subject, in any form, or to any extent. A tract had been prepared upon the "Duties of Masters," made up exclusively of writings by Southern men; but it was found that any publication whatever upon the subject of Slavery, no matter from what quarter of the country it might emanate, would lead to the withdrawal from the Society of the entire South, and to the closing of that section of the Union to all its publications. Such a result the Committee did not feel authorized to bring about;—and they have accordingly suspended the publication of the work prepared under the instructions given at the last anniversary meeting of the Society.

The whole controversy is thus reopened. A large and strong portion of those at the North who have contributed to the funds of the Society, will now demand that it shall actively enter the field against Slavery, and wage war upon that just as openly and just as earnestly as upon intemperance or any other moral evil. Another portion will resist this, and urge the importance of keeping the South as a field for the *religious* operations of the Society, even at the expense of being compelled to remain silent upon the subject of Slavery. The real question at issue is, whether it shall continue to be a *partially* religious Association, with a national field of work, or whether it shall become an Anti-Slavery religious society, with its operations confined to a sectional sphere. The present Committee, it seems, are unanimously of the opinion that it ought not to abandon, or be driven from, so large and so important a territory as the Southern States, even for the privilege of denouncing the evils of Slavery. Whether they will be able to maintain this position, remains to be seen.

A Missionary Coming.

We give place in another column to a sufficiently characteristic and remarkable letter from that distinguished Southern light, Rev. W. G. BROWNLOW, editor, preacher and politician, in Tennessee. Its leading purpose is to vindicate the righteousness of burning a negro alive,—and that, too, by mob violence, without even a form of trial, because he had been guilty of sundry foul, revolting and hellish crimes:—and Mr. BROWNLOW incidentally takes occasion to repeat his previous declaration, that, if he had been present, he would have "suggested the pinching of pieces out of the negro with red-hot pincers, the cutting off of a limb at a time and then burning them all in a heap." We have not the slightest disposition to quarrel with the clerical tastes or the personal appetites of Rev. Mr. BROWNLOW. If his natural temper or his theological education incline him to take special delight in the torture of his fellow-creatures, or even of brute animals, no argument which we could use would be likely to have any effect upon him. If his statement of the case is correct, moreover, we are free to say that in our judgment the negro in question deserved the roasting which he received, and even the sentiment in which Mr. BROWNLOW would have indulged in his last term present. The question, however, does not turn upon this point. Civilized communities, as a general thing, have long since discarded the notion that they were to inflict punishment for the sake of torture,—or that the *deserts* of the culprit were to be the measure of the personal torment they should bestow upon him. There are scores of brutes in this City who *deserve* roasting for inhuman crimes, perhaps quite as much as the Tennessee negro in this case—but it would be difficult to find "a thousand of our best citizens" who would be willing, on that account, to burn them alive in the Park. The punishment of crimes, however atrocious and exasperating, in all civilized and Christian States, is entrusted to the regular legal tribunals which are established for that purpose. But we concede that *Lynch* law is decidedly better than *no* law, and if Tennessee has no courts or juries which can be relied on to punish such offences as those of which this black fiend is said to have been guilty, then, by all means, let her continue her present *extempore* practice until she can supply its place with something better. But let her, meantime, say just as little about her Christian civilization as possible.

But Rev. Mr. BROWNLOW makes another announcement which cannot be without interest for the people of the Northern States. He is about to abandon Tennessee for a time and live and labor as a missionary among the benighted inhabitants of this section of the country. He proposes to preach the gospel of Slavery to the hordes of pagans who have never yet been brought to a saving knowledge of the truth, as it is in Tennessee. We are glad he is coming. He will create a sensation. He will have large audiences, marked attention, loud applause and a good time generally. Whether BEECHER, PARKER or any of the rest of our "Freedom shrieker" will accept his challenge and discuss the matter with him, we do not know. If they can "travel" with him in Tennessee as well as in New-York, without any risk of red-hot pincers in [illegible] that Christian country, we presume they might be induced to take the trip.

If Mr. BROWNLOW will give us notice of the precise time of his arrival, the TIMES will arrange it gratuitously.

Future of California Transit Routes.

In some suggestions upon this subject which we submitted several weeks since, we endeavored to show that the expensive and ruinous strife, in which various rival interests were engaged, for the securement of Nicaragua Transit, Tehuantepec and other grants for routes between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, destined to result in disappointment and loss to those who risk their time and capital therein. To establish this conclusion, we showed that none of the new routes proposed to be opened pretended to look for any material amount of traffic and business except that to be derived from California trade and travel; that long ere a Tehuantepec, Honduras, or Nicaragua railroad could be completed, the California travel by foreign routes must greatly decrease, and that it was physically impossible that either of these roads should ever attract to them any considerable commercial business.

We have reason to believe that these suggestions were of service to the public, in that they furnished available data for practical consideration of the subject by parties inclined to invest in the proposed speculations. The fact that the Panama Railroad Company is making money, in no degree lessens the force of our argument against the pecuniary success of new roads,—because, first, that road is a very short one, and no other can be constructed which would not be too long for successful competition with the Cape Horn route for all heavy articles of commerce; and, second, because the Panama route has a far more important trade from the South Pacific and Central America than that of California ever can be. Having heard doubts expressed of the accuracy of this statement we have taken pains to ascertain the facts, and find that of the entire traffic of the Panama Railroad Company, leaving out of view the gold dust, only about *one-sixth* is derived from California. The remainder is drawn from Central and South America. Recent advices from London show that the tide of Australian travel and trade is also about to set across the Isthmus of Panama,—which will again add largely to the importance of that route, and the trade with the South Pacific is every day increasing with marvellous rapidity.

No other route can get this traffic or any portion of it, for the simple reason that merchandise always finds the shortest possible land carriage the cheapest. What then is to furnish adequate support for any other? The carriage of passengers? Let us see. The average number of passengers to and from California by sea will not exceed one thousand per month in two years from this time, or about thirty-three per day. Taking the price at twenty-five dollars per head, and allowing only fifty per cent. for the expenses of working the road, we have a net income of $150,000 per annum. Add $100,000 for mail service, and the result is a net income of $250,000, or less than four per cent. per annum upon a capital of $7,000,000—a sum considerably less, we venture to assert, than will be found necessary to consummate any of the enterprises suggested. To suppose that either of them can ever be completed under these circumstances is madness. The agents and getters-up may make money by operations of this sort, but only in the ruin of the small holders of their stock. It is not surprising that the Tehuantepec Companies are dissolving and their transit grants are being annulled.

ARRIVAL OF A FAMOUS WORK OF ART.—Among the freight of the steamer *Persia*, which arrived on Tuesday last, was the celebrated painting of the "Horse Fair," by ROSA BONHEUR, which has excited so much interest among the *connoisseurs* of art in England and France during the past two years. The "Horse Fair" has been purchased by Mr. WRIGHT, of Hoboken; but we hope he will allow it to be exhibited to the public. There was a large number of modern pictures of the French and English schools, also, brought over by the *Persia*, which are to form part of a gallery of modern art soon to be opened to the public in this City.

Laura Keene's Theatre.

A romantic drama of the atrocious school was produced here last night. It is called "Judith of Geroux," and is an old melodrama, in its dramatic form, although founded on incidents in Mr. THACKERAY's Vanity Fair. The plot is characterized by scenes of a most [illegible] character, in most [illegible] [illegible] and extremely introspective, but without much [illegible] the highest perceptions of his audience are required for their appreciation. Revenge is the leading passion of the play, and it culminates in a couple of deaths. To describe the plot would be as uninteresting as to explain the separate appearance of each spoke of a twenty-foot ladder. It is easier to say that a ladder is a contrivance for getting to a certain object, and that the plot of this play answers the same purpose. It is balanced with moderate skill, but topples over at last with some bloodshed. An artistic defect, we may refer to without many words. *Judith*, the heroine, is a character who has figured infamously in the Reign of Terror. She has subsequently assumed the robes of repentance for the purpose of working revenge on some parties who first compelled her to a career of crime. She is unknown, and her incognito is essential to the *denouement* of the piece. Unmindful of this fact, the dramatist has anticipated his best situation by causing the heroine to declare herself in the second act. The party to whom she imparts this vital secret is the victim of the piece, and it is incomprehensible that, having *Judith* in his power, he does not hand her over to the police-officers. This strikes us as an anti-climax which might easily be avoided. We commend the matter to the attention of Miss KEENE.

The leading characters are sustained by Miss LAURA KEENE, Mr. WEMYSS and Mr. JEFFERSON. The success of the piece was determined by the admirable acting of this trio, and especially of the lady. Her "make up" was in itself perfect, and gave an almost incomprehensible coloring to her acting. Usually Miss KEENE appears so much like her portrait, that it is difficult to separate her from wavy masses of brilliant hair, and youthful beauty. As *Judith*, she is a matron with classic firmness on her features, and pale beauty on her brow. A costume more elegant or admirable could not have been devised. Her acting was of the quiet-intense school, which thrills rather than horrifies, and is singularly forcible, yet free from exaggeration. Although the piece in which her powers are exhibited is one which cannot win admiration, it is well adapted to bring out an art phase which in her case as yet has lain dormant. Mr. WEMYSS, as the villainous tool of the piece, threw, as he always does, considerable individuality into the impersonation. Mr. JEFFERSON has an opportunity to get drunk, and this is his specialty.

To praise the manner in which the piece has been put on the stage is merely to write the usual eulogium to our notices of this theatre. No theatre in the City can compete with Miss KEENE's in scenic resources and general propriety of production. "Judith of Geroux" is simply a fresh illustration of this fact.

The play was a success, and will doubtless tempt the public for some nights.

TRAILBRIDGE'S CONCERT.—Mr. TRAILBRIDGE's second [illegible]

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[illegible] Hong Kong, Wednesday, July 8, 1857.

[illegible] Tea dollar weighs no more than a Half-[illegible]

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[illegible] Exchange is [illegible] this time, viz. 2/ 7d and 2/ and [illegible] dollar, for their bills of exchange [illegible] cent. in the States.

Owing to the destruction of the new crop of rice in this and other Provinces by the recent freshets, a famine will prevail to a greater extent than last year. In ordinary times rice is about 3,000 cash per picul of 133⅓ lbs. cash at present it is 8,000 cash, and it is estimated that it will rise to 20,000 cash (twenty dollars). The following extract from the North-China Herald, of June 13, is interesting. "There is no doubt that the internal dissensions of the Empire are now rapidly impoverishing the people, and though hitherto they have had less effect than was anticipated upon those productions which support the foreign trade, these are now beginning to share in the general depression. Unless one side or the other speedily prevails, we may expect to see our trade more and more influenced as the contest extends."

Of American shipping there is in the harbor the *Antelope, Spitfire, Celestial, Mazeppa, Ariel*, and *North Wind*. The *Mazeppa* arrived on the 15th of this month from New-York, with mails for the United States squadron.

The officers and crew of this ship enjoy good health. I send you an Exchange and Freight list.

Yours, DANI.

National Horse Exhibition on the Empire Race-Course, near Troy—Race between "Flora Temple" and "Brown Dick."

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

Troy, Saturday, Sept. 12, 1857.

One of those horse shows has been in progress during the past week near this city, which furnish many arguments pro and con. as to the morality and usefulness of the institution. The title of the show is "The Grand National Horse Exhibition;" its object has been the collection of a large number of the finest horses in the country and the display of their several excellencies in the morning, and in the afternoon races among the exhibiting animals. The space was been the Empire Race-course, a very fine track, of which I gave you a description in an account of its inaugural race, a twenty mile affair, in the Times of June 27. It has since been much improved, and though dusty during the week, will yet prove one of the best tracks in the country, being on a large island in the Hudson, with good soil, easy of access, and with plenty of accommodation for horses and the temporary sojourn and interior wants of their masters. I did not try the dusty road this time, but my journeys to and from the island have been made in a fleet little steamer, the *Mercury*, which has run every hour, landing passengers quite near the scene of operations.

To the two species of performances, the exhibition of a morning of fine-looking animals, with perfect forms and large pecuniary value, and of an afternoon of speed and betting, very different audiences have attended. Sturdy farmers, and men who think as much of a horse as some do of the fair sex—they have been there, looking, admiring, and buying; and of this part of the show no one can doubt the utility or morality. Among the splendid horses have been *Ethan Allen*, a beautiful stallion, nine years old. His owner has been offered during the week $25,000 for him, but he is "not for sale." Well may he not be! He has netted for his owner $10,000 during the past year, and has made his mile in 2:21. Old *Columbus*, 27 years old, is a most wonderful animal, and he was surrounded by his descendants. He is a vicious beast; his keeper never approaches him but with a club, and he is taken out with fear and trembling. Then a host of animals, good, bad, and indifferent, were exhibited, bought, sold, and looked at. The races, which have taken place on each afternoon, I will not attempt to describe. They were very good for this part of the country—2:40 was made; but second-rate races, like second-rate poetry, should never appear in print. These little affairs have done good, however. Many green horses have proved what they were made of, and been sold, after the races, at prices that were unattainable before. There were more fast men present here; some betting was done, of course. But this is only the rind, the fruit of which is seen in the improved breed of horses that even farmers drive up here; and in the stock of *Ethan Allen*, and similar noble animals, being so much sought after.

To-day the grand race between *Flora Temple* and *Brown Dick* has taken place amid less excitement than has characterized many slower trots; in fact all felt how the race must go; if a fair one, and 100 to 5 and 3 was offered on *Flora*, whose owners it is said, have been paid $1,000 to make the match in addition to the purse of $2,000. The animals were brought on to the track about 3 o'clock, Messrs. Simmons, Dennis and Dayton appointed judges. *Flora* was driven by her owner, Mr. McMann; *Brown Dick*, by Mr. Jas. Pettys, both in sulkeys; the match being mile heats, best 3 in 5. *Flora* won all three with ease, and on the conclusion of the third heat the race was given to her amid the cheers of her admirers. The time was first heat, 2:22½; second, 2:20½; third, 2:30, and large sums were bet on this, and as nearly all thought the time would be much better, considerable was lost. *Brown Dick* is an uglier animal even than *Flora*, but, although beaten by her, would under more favorable circumstances have won an ordinary race. His time was about 2:35 or 6, and I prophecy for him a successful career on the turf.

The crowd made a rush for the boat, some bound for Troy, some for Albany, and as the former were the most numerous, we set sail for *Rium*. Your correspondent ascended to the upper deck and mused over good looking horses and bad, fast and slow, and the immense amount and variety of human nature he had seen, descons and gamblers, farmers and fancy men, swindlers and victims, ladies and lager beer—and how nice it would be to own *Ethan Allen*, and where $25,000 would go to.

President Anderson's Lecture on Slavery and Villenage in Western Europe.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

Rochester, Thursday, Sept. 10, 1857.

A lecture was delivered before the Rochester Athenæum, in Corinthian Hall, on Tuesday evening last, which strongly attracted the attention of an intelligent audience, and deserves more than passing notice. The lecturer was Dr. M. B. Anderson, President of the Rochester University, and the subject "Slavery and Villenage in Western Europe." In the discussion of this topic the able lecturer manifested laborious historical research and profound analysis. The leading idea was that Slavery in Europe, including Roman Slavery, and extending down to its final abolition in France, Germany and England, was twofold. In the lowest form the unhappy bondman was a chattel, with no interest in the soil, no right to his earnings, and no protection in his domestic relations. He was liable to be sold away from his home and family, at the will of his master. The modern type of this condition is found in the Slavery of our own Southern States.

In the other form was serfdom, in which the slave was entitled to legitimate marriage, to a modified property in the soil of his master's estate, and, as he progressed, to many other important privileges, resulting, at last, in complete emancipation. The lecturer took the ground that the gradual elevation of chattel slaves in Europe took place universally by their passing into the condition of serfhood. This change was effected slowly, but surely, in process of ages, and through many bloody convulsions. The main agency for freedom was the influence of the Christian clergy, who labored untiringly, in the earlier days of Christianity, to raise the lowly and protect the down-trodden. Their efforts for the slaves, though constant and efficient, were based upon no declarations. They said nothing of general principles or political dogmas, but dealt with evil, oppression and wrong wherever they could. When unable to emancipate, they were content to ameliorate. In the first place, they raised the slave from the lower to the higher platform of bondage, and once on this vantage ground he prepared himself for the next step.

A notice like this can do no justice to President Anderson's profound discourse. It was worthy to be listened to by philosophers and statesmen. Though not in any party sense political, its important bearing upon the question of American Slavery is apparent. No that question could be more generally discussed in the clear light of history and philosophy instead of being enveloped in an atmosphere of heated fog. It would be better for the true interests of freedom. L.

The Case of George Ackerman—A Card from Justice Osborne.

Editor of the New-York Times:

The daily papers, in stating (in relation to the trial of George Ackerman) that he was fined by me on a criminal fine of fifty dollars, have (unfortunately, no doubt,) done me great injustice. I never fined Gat if within off; he pleaded guilty before me, in consequence of which I was a witness, and after his release I had considerable conversation with the Ackermans. Out of sympathy for his family, and on the most positive assurances that the evil would be cured, and with the expressed determination on the part of Mr. Hale, to follow up and prosecute to the utmost extent, any continuation of the business, I determined by the Court to impose the highest fine that the law provides, which, in the case of a person of Ackerman's ability, is limited to fifty dollars.

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[illegible] Park, with mounted rifles under Capt. Tompkins. After the parade, addresses were made to the men by the Commissioner of Police, Commissioner Nye, General Van Buskirk, of Stuyvesant, Gen. Seymour, State Senator, J. V. Blackman, Esq., of Buffalo, Captain Speight, of the Twenty-first Precinct, Dr. Hall, A. J. Stoughtenburgh, Esq., of the Eighth Ward, and President Phillips, of the Board of Councilmen. The drill was conducted by Sergeant Wasseuer, and Shelton's Brass Band furnished the music.

Col. Van Valkenburgh said that he had just come from a drill of a well-trained regiment, and found nothing to be ashamed of in comparison with it in the parades of the Eighth Ward Police. Commissioner Nye reminded the Police that they were the guardians of a million of people, and of many millions of property; and he hoped that the Eighth Ward staff would do its part towards rendering it unnecessary on any future occasion to call out the National Guard to preserve the peace of the City.

Mr. Bloomer thought that if the Police of the Eighth Ward are a fair specimen of the rest of the force, eight hundred men would be enough to keep the City safe. Capt. Speight complimented the appearance of the men, and the skill and precision of their performance. The occasion was concluded with a distribution of refreshments, which were not only very heartily but very thoroughly consumed.

A Female Horse-Thief.—Mr. Michael O'Cozzen.

A contractor, living at No. 126 First-avenue, and engaged on a new building in Howard-street, had a horse and wagon stolen from his stable about half-past 8 o'clock last evening, by a young female, name unknown. Mr. O'Cozzen had driven from his residence to the house in Howard-street, which he entered for a few minutes, leaving the horse in the street. When he came out again, he was just in time to see his horse and wagon driven rapidly away by a young female. He followed after crying "stop thief," but the female John applied the whip with freedom, and soon outdistanced pursuit. When last seen, she was rushing for "the road" in gallant style.

Garroted.—A case of garroting occurred in Second-avenue last evening. Mr. W. J. Baird, residing at No. 176 East Nineteenth-street, while standing in the Avenue, near Stuyvesant-square, was suddenly seized by an athletic fellow, who threw him to the sidewalk and plucked from his fob a valuable gold watch and chain, with which he succeeded in making his escape. There was a large number of persons near by, waiting the approach of a target company, but they did not interfere, thinking the matter a mere scuffle between two acquaintances. The highwayman was aided by several accomplices, who crowded about shouting "show fair play—don't interfere!"

A New Dodge of the Ticket Swindlers.

A man, named John Simpson, arrived in the City last week from Nova Scotia, and, while saunteringalong West-street, was accosted by an emigrant runner, who soon found out that Simpson was bound for Chicago. The sharper represented that he was the agent for the Railroad Company, and would procure Simpson his ticket for $3 50 less than he could buy it himself. Simpson, therefore, handed over two dollars bill—all the money he had—and accompanied the runner to a den in West-street to get his ticket. Upon his arrival he was surrounded and shoved about by a gang of ruffians who were in the place, while the first rascal ran off with the money. The man at the desk then sympathized with Simpson in this style: "The man that robbed you has no connection with the office, and there is no use making a fuss, for you'll never get your money again, and the rascal has probably left the City. It is a great shame," he continued, "that you have been treated so badly; but, never mind, here's a dollar for you, and a free ticket to Philadelphia, where you are sure to get work." Simpson, implicitly believing all that had been told him, and thanking the man for his kindness, accepted the dollar and ticket, and went by the afternoon train to Philadelphia. He stayed there two days without succeeding in his design of procuring employment, and then returned to this City yesterday by working his way back on one of the Philadelphia boats. He was directed to the Recorder's office to make complaint against the thief, whom he said he could recognize. Officer Lowery went in search of the rascal, but without success.

Grand Larceny.—A young man, named Francisco Williams, was yesterday arrested charged with stealing a buck-skin purse, containing $50, and a gold watch, valued at $100, the property of Abraham Kirk, a hotel keeper at No. 50 Ludlow-street. It appears that on the night of the 90th ult. the accused applied to Mr. Kirk for lodging for the night; and was accommodated. The following morning the lodger and the purse and watch were missing. The suspicion was excited. He was seen soon after with a gold watch and a buck-skin purse, which he told a friend contained $50. Justice Woon locked him up to await further examination.

Death from Poison—Suspicious Case.—Geo. Kline, a German, died on Tuesday night, at the Bellevue Hospital, from the effects of arsenic either taken by himself, for the purpose of self-destruction, or administered him by another. He was admitted to the Hospital while suffering from the effects of delirium tremens as well as arsenic, and during his ravings accused his wife of having poisoned him. Coroner Perry was notified, and commenced an inquest upon the body of deceased. Mrs. Kline was examined, but denied all knowledge of her husband having taken arsenic, and thinks he must have done so to destroy himself. No further evidence was taken, and the case stands adjourned to this morning.

Juvenile Temperance Cause.—On Monday evening, Sept. 14, the regular monthly meeting of the officers of the American Juvenile Temperance Society, was held at No. 278 Fourth-avenue. Dr. Allen, President, in the Chair. After the reading of the minutes reports were read by the Treasurer and Recording Secretary, and Messrs. Booth, Wales and Alley appointed a Committee to prepare the annual report.

From the report as given by Mr. Dunn, we find the Society has held in the City 235 meetings, enrolled 2,662 members, circulated 10,525 Temperance papers, brought into the Sabbath School 144 children, into the Church 39 adults. Outside the City, 31 meetings, and organized branches in different places.

Burning of a Carpenter's Shop.—The carpenter's shop of Mr. Hoor, rear of No. 199 West Twenty-fourth-street, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning, together with several small frame houses. The entire loss on stock and carpenter's shop, was $700. No insurance.

The Battle of Baltimore—Speech of Gen. Cass.

The Forty-third Anniversary of the Battle of Baltimore was celebrated with much spirit at Baltimore. At Washington City there was also a celebration. The Association of Veterans paraded, and, according to the report of the Baltimore Sun, marched to the Executive mansion, but learning that President Buchanan was absent at his country residence, with a passing salute they marched on through the beautiful grounds to the War Department. Here they paid their respects to Hon. John B. Floyd, Secretary of War, who responded to the introduction in a patriotic and happy style, and expressive of the gratification afforded him by the call. The honorable Secretary of the Navy being formally apprised of the universal desire to make him a visit, appeared on the west portico of the Navy Department. The interview here was also one of great pleasure to all.

Mr. Toucey's speech, though brief, was exceedingly appropriate, and delivered with a degree of pathos which seemed to vibrate on every heart. At each of these visitations, the spirit-stirring airs of the music contributed greatly to the general enthusiasm. By acclamation the next call was to the venerable warrior and statesman, General Cass.

With a step almost as vigorous as twenty years ago, he met them on the sidewalk of Pennsylvania-avenue, and extended to each and all a cordial welcome. He expressed his happiness at seeing so many survivors to witness the great prosperity of the country, and hoped they would still long be spared to behold its perpetuation. Pausing for a second, the veteran speaker continued:

"Gentlemen, this is the 12th of September. On the 10th of September, forty-three years ago—then in command of the northwestern army—I was sitting in my tent, a postman rode up with a letter to me. I broke the seal. What do you think the letter contained? It announced the glorious truth, which will forever be inscribed on the brightest pages of our country's history: 'We have met the enemy, and they are ours.' Oliver H. Perry."

This news spread like lightning, and cast a shout throughout the whole army, such as it is impossible to describe. Then came the glorious news from Baltimore. This added to the general enthusiasm and patriotic ardor of the American force."

The speech of the General produced deep feeling, and was quickly responded to by three hearty cheers and Hail Columbia by the band.

Dreadful Accident on the Ferdinandina Railroad.—A passenger by the steamer St. John yesterday informs us that a dreadful accident occurred on the Ferdinandina Railroad on Wednesday morning. It seems that in the absence of the passenger train, platform cars were used to transport the mails in order to protect the passengers from the smoke and sparks of the engine. The cars were placed in advance of, instead of behind, the locomotive. About ten miles from Jacksonville the train suddenly came in contact with a mule and was thrown, engine and cars completely off the track, causing a fearful wreck. One man and lady, whose name we did not learn, were instantly killed. A gentleman named Reed had both legs broken above the knees and died almost immediately. Several others were more or less injured, none of them fatally.—Savannah Republican, 11th.

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[illegible] Sept. 16, 1857.

A ceremony of some importance took place in this neighborhood on Thursday last, and I have not yet seen any notice of it in your City papers; perhaps a few particulars may not be thought uninteresting.

I refer to the laying of the corner-stone of the new Conventional Building at Southhill. It is, I believe, the place purchased by the Sisters of Charity to supply that swallowed up by the Central Park, and certainly, so far as seclusion, security and beauty of scenic surroundings are concerned, the exchange is for the better.

The ceremony of laying the stone was performed by Archbishop Hughes, and beyond the fact of its being a practical proclamation that another branch of this world-renowned community is quietly established in our midst, presented no marked features of interest.

Though it was not generally known that any ceremony was to come off, the attendance was considerable. The grounds are extensive, and already (thanks to the labors of the former proprietor) show signs of beauty. The Archbishop took his stand under the shadow of some trees and delivered an appropriate address, dedicating the stones of the contemplated building and commending the success of the enterprise to God. The corner-stone was then fixed in its place and blessed. Numbers of the Sisters in sombre garb and quiet mien were there and enhanced the interest of the occasion.

The building to be reared upon the foundations thus laid will cover an area of considerable extent and be five stories high, with a lofty tower of about 140 feet. The contemplated outlay I have heard will be nearly $150,000—this is independent of the original cost of the land at probably $50,000 or $60,000. VISITER.

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THE AUTUMN HAT.

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WATSON'S $10 SEWING MACHINES vs. THE COMPLICATED $100 SEWING MACHINES—"SHUNTION" DISSOLVED.—In Circuit Court, United States, New-York. Isaac M. Singer and Edward Clark, vs. Geo. H. Wooster and Ira W. Gregory. Before Nelson, United States Circuit Judge, Sept. 10, 1857.—A motion for injunction having been made at Chambers on the 21 day of August, last past, to restrain the defendants from the violation of two certain patents owned by the complainants, the first one granted to Morey & Johnson, Feb 9, 1849; reissued June 27, 1854, and the second one to Isaac M. Singer, May 20, 1854, and the defendants not being ready to meet the motion, and an injunction having been ordered until the hearing of the motion at this term, and the complainants having now brought on the motion for injunction upon both said patents, and the said motion having been argued by Ambrose L. Jordan and Charles M. Keller for the complainants, and James T. Brady and Edward Dickerson for the defendants, and the Court having considered the same.

It is now ordered, adjudged, and decreed that the temporary injunction granted on the 21 day of August be dissolved, and that the motion for injunction be denied, and the same is hereby denied with costs. Dated New-York, Sept. 10, 1857. S. NELSON.

[A copy.] KENNETH G. WHITE, Clerk.
John W. Fleming, Solicitor.

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MARRIED.

Sims—Moore.—In this City, on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at Dr. Adams' Church, Madison-square, by Gardiner Spring, D. D., Rev. L. Gaylord, of Chicago, Ill., to Miss Ann C. Moore, only daughter of John L. Moore, Esq., of this City.

Starbuck—Gregory.—In this City, on Tuesday, Sept. 15, by Rev. R. M. Abercrombie, Wm. H. Starbuck to Anna M., daughter of Lewis Gregory, Esq., all of this City.

Gore—Bennett.—In this City, on Thursday, Aug. 27, by Rev. D. Bonner, Mr. Joseph Chouzet Gore, to Sarah Catharine Bennett, both of this City.

☞ Canada papers please copy.

DIED.

Cowan.—In this City, on Wednesday, morning, Sept. 16, Keziah Cowan, widow of the late James Cowan, aged 69 years, 1 month and 16 days.

Her funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 249 West 30th-st.

McGahan.—In this City, on Tuesday, Sept. 15, Mr. Peter McGahan, aged 63 years, at the residence of his brother John, corner of 4th-st. and 6th-av., after a short but severe illness, which he bore with a Christian resignation. He was a kind brother and good man.

The relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral service, which will take place this day, at 4 o'clock, in the Church of St. Joseph, 6th-av., from where his remains will be after taken to Calvary Cemetery for interment.

☞ Dublin and Cavan papers will please copy.

Hanson.—In this City, on Wednesday, Sept. 16, at his late residence, No. 191 West 27th-st., Mr. W. H. Jackson, formerly of Liverpool, in the 52d year of his age.

The relatives and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, Sept. 18, at 12 o'clock, at Christ Church, Manhattan, L. I. Friends in the City who wish to see his remains before removal to their final resting place, will have an opportunity of so doing between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock on the morning of the funeral.

Wrake.—In this City, on Tuesday, Sept. 15, Walter Magee Wrake, in the 12th year of his age.

His funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 140 Laurens-st., at 2 o'clock this afternoon. His friends are requested to attend.

Dinas.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Sept. 16, Sarah, relict of the late Benjamin Dibbs.

The friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, to-morrow afternoon, at 2½ o'clock, from her late residence, No. 36 Adams-st., Brooklyn.

Vanderwyk.—At South Lincoln, Dutchess County, on Sunday, Aug. 24, after a short illness of scarlatina, Ann Eliza, aged 7 months and 26 days.

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Opposite City Park,
Owing to our heavy importations and tightness in the money market, we are selling off our elegant stock of hosiery at a great sacrifice. Cash buyers will obtain great bargains.

TWINES EXCLUSIVELY.
JAMES P. TRAVERS,
No. 167 William-st., New-York.

EMBROIDERIES.
Just received,
COLLARS AND SETS,
HANDKERCHIEFS AND CAPES,
Also, some new, instant's case, inserting.
MILLER & CHANDLER, No. 703 Broadway.

GEORGE A. HEARN,
No. 239 Broadway,
Has now on hand a full assortment of
EAST INDIA CASHMERE SHAWLS,
LONG SHAWLS,
SQUARE SHAWLS,
AND SCARFS,
Some of which are the Finest
Ever produced.
Also, a few more left of those new shawls.

BLACK SILKS.
JAMES GRAY & CO. will open this morning, a large assortment of rich Black Silks, of their own importation.
MILLE FOULARDS,
VALENCIAS, JEFFERIES,
PLAIDS AND STRIPES.
No. 727 Broadway, corner Waverly-place.

HEAD-QUARTERS FOR TWINES.
J. F. TRAVERS, No. 167 William-st., New-York.
Twines suitable for hardware and dry-goods dealers, slip-makers, grocers, druggists, boot-makers, stationers, upholsterers, bookbinders, paper-makers, &c.

DRY GOODS.

THE GREAT INVENTION—CLOTHING WITHOUT SEAM.
Manufactured only at Middletown, N. Y., by the SEAMLESS GARMENT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, AND SOLD AT THE DEPOT, No. 323 BRY-ST., NEW-YORK.
Overcoats of every variety and latest style, Pea-Jackets, Pants, Vests, Leggins, Mittens, &c.
These fabrics are woven in the wool, without any seam, will always retain their shape, and in point of strength, warmth, durability, elegance, and all other desirable qualities, are unquestionably superior to any and all other styles of clothing, as all who test them must admit.
Dealers in Clothing are invited to call and examine.

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS.—E. S. MILLS & CO. have now in stock a splendid assortment of CLOAKS, CIRCULARS, DUSTERS, &c., of their own manufacture, at very low prices, together with a full stock of
FALL AND WINTER SHAWLS,
purchased at the recent auction sales, to which they invite the attention of close buyers, at Nos. 89 and 93 Chambers-st., upstairs.

WE WILL OPEN THIS MORNING FROM auction, 25 cases and bales of goods, damaged on board the Cleve Brockman, from Liverpool, consisting of blankets, delaines, debeges, drapery, muslin and linen thread. Also, a large invoice of black silks, bought at an Assignees' sale at a great sacrifice. Lots of cheap goods received daily from auction at W. K. PEYTON'S cheap Dry Goods Store No. 256 Bowery, near Houston-st.

MILLINERY.

RICH FRENCH FLOWERS,
RICH OSTRICH AND MARABOUT FEATHERS,
CHENILLE AND VELVET BONNET MATERIALS, &c.,
are offered (for cash only) at low prices,
at No. 218 Broadway,
corner of Pearl-st.,
HOMER & KETCHUM.

RIBBONS FROM AUCTION,
AT THE NEW RIBBON STORE OF LEWIS P. TIBBALS,
No. 154 Bowery, third door above Broome-st. A large lot just received and for sale cheap for cash. Also, Flowers, Feathers, Head-Dresses and Head-Ornaments in great variety. Milliners from the country will do well to call and examine before purchasing.

MILLINERY.—MADAME FERRERO, No. 5 Great Jones-st., has just received a handsome assortment of Paris Fall and Winter Millinery, Flowers, Feathers, &c.

MILLINERY GOODS.—J. SPENCE & SONS, No. 37 Division-st., will open on Wednesday, inst., Paris pattern bonnets, also, a large assortment of ribbons, silks, satins, velvets, feathers, flowers, &c., for the Fall trade.

MILLINERY.—MRS. G. SCHLEGEL, NO. 577 Broadway, will open on Thursday, Sept. 17, a most extensive and beautiful assortment of Paris pattern bonnets. Milliners and merchants supplied at low prices.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

NEW-YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE,
East 13th-st., near 4th-av.
The Preliminary Course of Lectures will commence on TUESDAY, Sept. 15, at 11 o'clock A. M. Opening Lecture by Prof. BARKER.
Lectures will be delivered daily on one or more of the following Subjects:
Diseases of the Respiratory Organs, by Prof. GREEN.
Amputations, by Prof. CARNOCHAN.
Diseases Peculiar to Women, by Prof. BARKER.
Analytical Chemistry, by Prof. DOREMUS.
Diseases of the Skin, by Prof. COX.
Auscultation and Percussion, by J. H. DOUGLAS, M. D.
Practical Obstetrics, by CHAS. A. BUDD, M. D.
The Chemical Laboratory will be opened for instruction in the Analysis of Poisons, on MONDAY, Sept. 28, by R. OGDEN DOREMUS, M. D., Dean of the Faculty.

A MEETING OF THE ELEVENTH WARD Republican Association was held at No. 200 6th-st. on Tuesday evening, Sept. 15. The minutes of the previous meeting having been read, a good number of new members were proposed and received into the Association. The meeting then went into the nomination and election of a President, and CHARLES PERLEY, Esq., was elected on the first ballot, by an almost unanimous vote. A Committee of ten was then appointed to confer with like Committees from the XIth, XIIth and XVIIth Wards in relation to the selection of proper candidates for Senator and Councilmen, after which the meeting adjourned. This Association has regular weekly meetings at No. 200 6th-st., and the interest in the cause is increasing rapidly.

EIGHTH, NINTH AND FIFTEENTH WARDS, ATTENTION.—At an informal meeting of Republicans, held in the lower part of the IXth Ward, the following resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That we invite the Republican electors of the VIIIth, IXth and XVth Wards, comprising the Fifth Aldermanic District, bounded by Spring-st., Broadway, 4th-st., Christopher-st. and North River, to meet at the Bleecker Buildings on FRIDAY EVENING, 18th inst., at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of effecting an organization in the said District. By order,
T. G. GIRVAN, Chairman.

NINTH WARD.—THE REGULAR MONTHLY meeting of the Ninth Ward Republican Association, will be held at the Bleecker Buildings, THIS EVENING, the 17th inst., at 8 o'clock. By order,
JOHN KEYSER, President.
N. D. THAYER, Secretary.

PEACHES AND CREAM.—A FRUIT FESTIVAL will be given by the Ladies of the Second Presbyterian Church of Jersey City, THIS EVENING, at Commercial Hall, corner of Montgomery and Green sts. Doors open at 5 P. M., and continue open through the evening. A beautiful display of fruits, flowers, &c., may be expected.

A MEETING OF THE NEW-YORK Ladies' Kansas Aid Society will be held at No. 19 Lamartine-place, on THURSDAY, Sept. 17, at 12 o'clock M., to decide upon the appropriation of its fund.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

OFFICE CHIEF ENGINEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, No. 21 ELIZABETH-STREET, NEW-YORK, May 21, 1857.—The undersigned calls the attention of the Firemen to the following list of buildings, which have been examined and pronounced unsafe by the Board of Fire Wardens:
Albany-st., No. 20—Amos-st., No. 140—Ann-st., Nos. 45, 74—Baxter-st., Nos. 47, 84, 98, 100, 102, 104—Baxter-st., No. 41—Bleecker-st., No. 243—Bowery No. 119—Bookman-st., Nos. 22, 24—Broadway, Nos. 256, 374 (rear) 377, City Hotel buildings, corner of Cedar and Thames sts.—Catharine-st., Nos. 28, 28½—Cedar-st., Nos. 4, 198—Cherry-st., No. 147—Courtlandt-st., No. 10—Chambers-st., Nos. 84, 116—Duane-st., Nos. 6, 116, 142, 144—East Broadway, No. 76—Elm-st., Nos. 121, 123, 125—Eighth-st., Nos. 227, 229—Seventh-st., Nos. 217, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231—East Thirteenth-st., No. 216—East Fourteenth-st., five five story brown-stone dwellings, near Third-av., East side—East Sixteenth-st., No. 171—East Eighteenth-st., Nos. 242, 244, 248—East Nineteenth-st., No. 210—Fulton Market buildings—Fourth-st., No. 259—Forsyth-st., No. 156—Fifth-st., No. 315—Greenwich-st., Nos. 32, 34, 62, 63, 69, 75, 121, 113, 164, 175—Howard-st., Nos. 39, 41—Horatio-st., No. 138—Jacob-st., Nos. 11, 13, 15, 21, 23, 25—Leonard-st., Nos. 136, 138, 140—Lewis-st., No. 225—Liberty-st., 139, 142—Market-st., northeast corner Water—Mercer-st., No. 107—Mulberry-st., northeast corner of Canal—Mott-st., Nos. 216, 218, 250, 292, 296—Nassau-st., Nos. 42, 94, 96—Ninth-st., Nos. 249, 251—Pearl-st., Nos. 340, 346, 350, 477—Peck-slip, Nos. 38, 44, 49—Pine-st., Nos. 23, 27—Pike-st., No. 51—Rivington-st., Nos. 59, 61—Roosevelt-st., No. 94—South-st., Nos. 95, 116—Northwest corner South and James sts.—Spruce-st., Nos. 3, 4, 16—Twelfth-st., Nos. 434, 439—Waterst., Nos. 22, 146, 416—Washington-st., Nos. 5, 31, 32, 36, 59, 71, 87, 89, 95, 123, 160, 162, 170—Worth-st., Nos. 57, 82, 83—Wooster-st., No. 13—Northeast corner West and Albany sts.—Northeast corner West and Cedar-sts.—West Sixteenth-st., corner Ninth-av.—West Seventeenth-st., Nos. 46, 71, 143—West Twenty-ninth-st., No. 46—West Thirteenth-st., Nos. 126, 152—West Thirty-first-st., Nos. 129, 131—West Thirty-second-st., Nos. 63, 106—West Thirty-fifth-st., Nos. 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137—West Thirty-seventh-st., Nos. 205, 208 (rear)—West Fortieth-st., No. 224—Seventh-av., Nos. 424, 425, 426, 428, 430—Ninth-av., 519½—Northeast corner First-av., and Ninth-st.—Avenue A, No. 83—Avenue C, Nos. 134, 136, 138—Corner Sixteenth-st. and Sixth-av., Johnson & Green's Hair Factory—Corner Twenty-sixth and Seventh-av., northeast corner—Corner Twenty-seventh-st. and Broadway, marble saw mill.
HENRY H. HOWARD,
Chief Engineer New-York Fire Department.

CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT, July 10, 1857.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE water rents are due and payable annually, on the 1st of May. On the 1st of August following, five per cent. is added to all unpaid rents; and on the 1st of November thereafter, an additional ten per cent. See act of Legislature, April 17, 1849.
All those citizens who wish to avoid paying either of these penalties must pay before the 1st of August next.
R. C. HANCE, Register.

ALLEN AGRICULTURAL GUARD—4TH Annual target excursion; contended for 23 prizes, at Col. Leslie's, Harlem; fine day's sport and kind treatment; came home all right; 66 muskets.
Captain PETRIE.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.—THE FIRM OF WHITNEY & DEWEY is this day dissolved by mutual consent. ALBERT J. DEWEY assumes the liabilities, and is alone authorized to use the name of the firm in liquidation.
NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1857. WM. A. WHITNEY,
ALBERT J. DEWEY.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of DEWEY & KIRK, for the transaction of the Clothing and Tailoring business, at No. 10 Fulton-st., corner Gold-st.
ALBERT J. DEWEY,
Sept. 9, 1857. A. D. KIRK.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING between the undersigned, under the firm of PETER ROBERTS & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and the debts due and to become due to the firm will be settled and collected by PETER ROBERTS alone, who is authorized to sign the name of the firm in liquidation.
PETER ROBERTS.
NEW-YORK, Sept. 9, 1857. H. T. CROSBY.

THE FIRM OF LE GRAND CANNON & Co., is dissolved, and all persons are forbid trusting any individual on my account, or on account of said firm.
Sept. 15, 1857. LE GRAND CANNON.

LYON'S MAGNETIC POWDER.

LYON'S MAGNETIC POWDER;
Free from Poison, for the destruction of
Bedbugs and Roaches,
Ants and Flies,
Moths and Mosquitoes,
Fleas and Flea-Beetles,
Insects on Fowls and Animals.
LYON'S MAGNETIC PILLS for the destruction of Rats and Mice.
Principal Depot, No. 424 Broadway. Beware of pretenders. Beware of counterfeits.
R. LYON & CO.

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—ON THIRTY-SIXTH-ST., NEAR 6th-av., four story and basement brown-stone front house, No. 44, finished in the best style, and on one of the best sites on Murray Hill. Apply on the premises. Also the house and lot, No. 109 East 21st-st., built in the manner of the modern improvements, lot—20 by 100 ft. House 22 by 50 ft. Apply on the premises for either of the above dwellings.

$200.—HANDSOME TWO-STORY NEW brick house for sale, in Brooklyn, at a bargain, only 15 minutes' from the ferries; the house is built in the best possible manner by day work, and the location is pleasant and healthy; it has gas and all the modern improvements. Lot 100 feet deep. Cost $3,200; price $2,800. $300 cash, balance by mortgage and installments. Apply on the premises, No. 85 Butler-st., or of the owner, C. J. MURPHY, No. 94 Water-st., New-York.

FOR SALE—THE NEW BROWN-STONE FRONT four-story English basement house, No. 143 West 40th-st., substantially built and furnished with all the modern improvements; healthy location, pleasant neighborhood, and convenient of access by City cars. Terms liberal. Apply to W. A. CARTER, No. 57 Dey-st., corner of Greenwich.

FOR SALE—49 LOTS, WITH COTTAGE AND barn, at a sacrifice price, situated on the plank road, near Fulton-av., Brooklyn—Fulton-av. cars pass the premises every few minutes. Capitalists desirous of making one of the best investments ever offered in the city of Brooklyn will apply to FOSTER & LOPEZ,
No. 4 Sands-st., Brooklyn.

FOR SALE AT YONKERS—A FINE TWO-story house, with attic and basement rooms, built in the best manner, and in perfect order, with every convenience for a genteel family. Apply on the premises, Buena Vista-av., third house on the right, south of the dépôt, or to J. C. LUCIE, No. 33 Pine-st.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—THE NEAT THREE-story brick store and dwelling-house, No. 163 Hammond-st., between West and Washington sts. The lot is 20x75 feet. For terms and further particulars, inquire of J. C. HALSTED, No. 1 Newman-st.

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET—THE ROOMS NOW OCCUPIED BY THE New-York Clearing-House, being the entire second story of No. 52 Broadway, extending from Broadway 100 feet deep to New-st., 25 feet wide; lighted front and rear, and by a large skylight. For terms inquire at the Clearing House on any business day after 11 o'clock A. M., of
GEORGE D. LYMAN.

TO LET OR FOR SALE—ON ACCOMMODATING terms, in the VIIIth Ward, No. 103 Varick-st. near Canal-st., a three-story, high-basement house, with all modern improvements, such as hot and cold water bath, gas, heaters, &c., and in first-rate order; in a good neighborhood; also, part of the furniture will be sold, if required. Inquire on the premises, from 10 till 2 o'clock.

TO LET—VERY CHEAP, IN A GENTEEL NEIGHborhood, parlor floor, marble mantels and sliding doors, front and back basements, with pantries and room on third floor, in a new house; rent $15 per month, at 271 West 48th-st., near 8th-av.

TO LET—A PARLOR AND BEDROOM, WITH OR without partial board, at No. 21 West 23d-st., near 5th-av. The family is small, and the house is newly furnished and has all the modern improvements.

TO LET—TWO LOFTS, 100 BY 25, IN THE NEW building No. 636 Broadway. Also, a basement. Rent low. Inquire in the store.

FURNISHED ROOMS—TO LET, WITHOUT board; the whole of second story, handsomely furnished, to a gentleman and wife, without children, or a party of single gentlemen, at No. 42 University-place, one block from Broadway.

A GRACE CHURCH PEW TO RENT—NO. 35 South transept. Apply to THEODORE DEHON, No. 10 Wall-st., near Broadway.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED—A SMALL, PRIVATE FAMILY DEsires house, with modern improvements, situated above 20th-st., and west of 4th-av., from Oct. 1 to May 1, 1858. Address, stating location and terms, A. S., Jr., Box No. 4,692 Post-Office.

WANTED IN BROOKLYN—A SMALL NEATly furnished house, convenient to the Fulton, South or Wall-st. ferry. Address Box No. 3,974 New-York Post-Office.

COUNTRY RESIDENCES.

FINE RESIDENCE FOR SALE.—THE RESIdence of the late Mathew J. Meyers, in the healthy and flourishing city of Poughkeepsie. The premises, situated on Mansion and Hamilton sts., adjoining Mansion-park, consists of a spacious, well-constructed and elegant dwelling-house, with all suitable and convenient outbuildings and appurtenances, and grounds containing between three and four acres, embracing a large and highly cultivated garden, (ornamental and vegetable,) an orchard of various kinds of fruit, with meadow and pasture land, through which runs the Fallkill Creek, an unfailing stream. Few situations can be found more tasteful, inviting or desirable.

FOR SALE—A COUNTRY SEAT, SITUATED IN the Hudson Highlands, nearly opposite West Point, with six acres of land. For full particulars, apply to Dr. YOUNG, Astor House, entrance on Vesey-st.

FARMS FOR SALE.

HOMES FOR EMIGRANTS.—THE UNDERsigned is now prepared to furnish in any quantities from 100 to 1,000 acres good farming and grazing lands in Western Virginia, within 12 or 15 hours of Baltimore or Washington, and within 24 hours of Philadelphia or New-York. The lands are fertile and well timbered. The climate healthy, and so mild that sheep can be ordinarily wintered with very little and in favorable seasons without any feeding. The few scattered inhabitants are friendly to the movement, and will give the immigrants an old-fashioned Virginia greeting. The lands will be sold to the first purchasers to the extent of 100,000 acres for one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre—one-fourth down, and the residue in one, two and three years, with annual interest at the rate of six per cent. For further particulars, inquire at the office No. 25 Nassau-st., corner of Cedar-st., opposite the Post-Office.
JOHN C. UNDERWOOD,
Secretary Emigrant Aid and Homestead Company.

FOR SALE—A FARM ON SHREWSBURY River of about 110 acres; it will be sold cheap, as the owner intends removing West this Fall. For further particulars inquire of Capt. PARKES, (*Ocean Wave*,) or JACKSON WILLIAMS, foot of Barclay-st., Merchants' Dispatch Office.

FOR SALE OR TO EXCHANGE FOR improved property in New-York or Brooklyn, a well-improved farm of 230 acres of excellent land in one of the best farming counties in the State of Ohio, convenient to railroads and Canada. Address, for three days, W. B. H., box No. 2,142 General Post-Office, New-York.

FOR SALE—A CHOICE FARM OF SUPERIOR land, (120 acres,) or two of 60 acres each, finely situated on plank road, beyond Jamaica, L. I., adapted to country seats, gardening, &c., for cash or part Brooklyn property. MILES A. BETTS, No. 67 Wall-st.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—THE STEAMER TROY, AS SHE now lies, at the foot of 12th-st., East River. She is 135 tons, 120 feet long, 23 feet beam, and 9 feet hold, with two Highbaugh's engines, 24-inch cylinder and 6-foot stroke. In fair order, and will require but little repairs for running. Inquire at No. 221 South-st.

FOR SALE.—A GOOD CHANCE FOR AN INDUstrious person. Five Grover & Baker's quilting machines, in prime order, and in full operation. The purchaser will have the good will of the work of the shop. Apply at No. 176 Broadway, under Howard Hotel, from 12 to 1 o'clock.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, for furnishing, or for furnishing and laying about 30,000 feet of iron pipe, ranging in capacity from 6 to 16 inches in diameter, tested by a pressure of 200 pounds to the square inch, to be delivered in Hoboken without delay. Parties wishing to estimate will receive all necessary details by applying at the office of the Board, No. 73 Washington-st., Hoboken.
All estimates will be opened on the 10th September next. The Commissioners reserve the right to refuse any or all bids, if considered to their interest so to do.
All communications must be addressed "Board of Water Commissioners' Office, No. 73 Washington-st., Hoboken, N. J."
EDMUND CHARLES, President.
CHARLES CLINTON.
In consequence of unavoidable delay, caused in making a map of the general distribution and specifications for the same, the Commissioners will postpone the opening of the bids for the above works until the 23d inst., in order to allow a reasonable time for all parties to present their bids.
EDMUND CHARLES, President.
CHARLES CLINTON.

$60,000.—HOBOKEN CITY WATER LOAN.—Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Water Commissioners of the city of Hoboken, N. J., until the 23d of September next, at their office, No. 73 Washington-st., in said city, for the whole, or any part of the $60,000 Water Loan, of said city, issued pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New-Jersey, entitled an act to authorize the Water Commissioners of the city of Hoboken, to contract for and introduce water into said city, and to provide for the payment thereof; approved March 26, 1857. All proposals must state the time the same shall be taken for, (not to be less than ten nor more than twenty years) interest not to exceed seven per cent. per annum, and to be payable on the 1st days of January and July, in each year. The scrip will be found of the best character, and the real estate and chattels in the said city are made liable for the principal and interest of the same.
Proposals to be addressed BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS, office No. 73 Washington-st., Hoboken, N. J.
EDMUND CHARLES, President.
CHARLES CLINTON, Clerk.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Commissioners, No. 28 White-st., for a three-story building suitable for their occupation. Said building should be at least 20 feet front by 70 feet deep, 3 stories high above the street, with dry basement. The location must be between the Park and Broome-st., and within two blocks of Broadway.
GEO. W. EMBREE, Chief Clerk, pro tem.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF ELEGANT CARRIAGE horses, 16 hands high, bright bay, and very showy in harness, kind and gentle, and perfectly sound, 7 and 8 years old. Inquire at PHILIP CLEARY'S Livery Stable, 10th-st., between Broadway and 6th-av.

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF MULES, 16 HANDS high, 4 years old, well broke and gentle. Inquire of SAMUEL HIGGINS, at Burt & Co's, No. 134 Front-st.

INSTRUCTION.

THE COLLEGIATE SCHOOL,
No. 11 West 38th-st., corner 5th-av., is now open, with every advantage for the education of youth. All the corps of its experienced teachers are in attendance. Parents will find it greatly to their advantage to inspect the new Prospectus, containing the results of the Summer vacation, and the modern improvements.
Reference is made to the Faculty of Columbia College and the University, Rev. Messrs. Eigenbrodt, Eaton, Marsden, and Lot Jones. Also, to the following gentlemen, whose sons are, or have been, under the Rector's instruction: Rev. Drs. Knox, Hatfield, Alexander, and Phillips; Rev. C. G. Sommers, Rev. S. S. Jocelyn, Rev. C. E. Lefferts, Rev. John Hall, Ex-Mayors Westervelt and Havemeyer, Messrs. Park Benjamin, William M. Evarts, Horace Holden, Robert Carter, Thomas M. Stanford, John Cothout, &c., &c.
If any further guarantee of care and thoroughness is desired, it will be found in numerous strong letters, (to be seen at the school,) from parties well known in the community, whose sons have been educated at this establishment. Parents are invited to call and obtain circulars.
C. F. QUACKENBOS, Rector.

P. M. W. REDFIELD'S
(formerly BERARDI & REDFIELD'S)
FRENCH, SPANISH, ENGLISH AND CLASSICAL BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG GENTLEMEN,
No. 128 Second-av., corner St. Mark's-place.
The eleventh academic year of this institution will commence on Sept. 7. A Primary Department is in successful operation. Circulars may be obtained at the school, or of Messrs. H. T. KIERSTED & SON, No. 326 Broadway.

THE MISSES ROME
Respectfully inform their friends and the public that their Boarding and Day School, No. 33 West 32d-st., will be reopened on Monday, Sept. 14.

MR. McELLIGOTT'S SCHOOL,
No. 1,002 Broadway, between 25th and 26th sts., will be opened on Monday, Sept. 7.

TEACHERS ARRANGING STUDIES FOR their Autumn Schools, and desirous of reliable and practical Text Books, are respectfully requested to examine the several books of the
AMERICAN EDUCATIONAL SERIES.
A full course of School and Academy Text Books, prepared wholly by experienced Teachers, in which are included Sanders' Progressive Readers, Thompson's Arithmetics, Willson's Histories, Fasquelle's French Course, Woodbury's German Series, Gray's Botanical, Hitchcock's Geology, Wells' Natural Philosophy, just published; Schuster's Drawing Books, Bradbury's School Music, McElligott's Etymological Works, Wells' Grammar, &c. All prices practical and scholarly works.
A DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE sent, prepaid, on application. Specially favorable terms on copies for examination and first introduction.
IVISON & PHINNEY, No. 321 Broadway.

CLASSICAL, FRENCH AND ENGLISH SCHOOL.—WM. H. LEGGETT'S School, corner of Broadway and 12th-st., will be reopened on Monday, Sept. 7. Circulars may be obtained at LOCKWOOD'S, No. 411 Broadway; ROE'S, No. 697 Broadway; SEGEE'S, No. 828 Broadway; or, after the 1st of September, at the residence of the Principal, No. 279 East 10th-st. The number of pupils is limited, and Mr. L. will continue to be aided by his well-known and thorough assistants, Messrs. DE LOUEST, NELSON, GUILLAUDEU and COE. A Gymnasium is attached to the School.

MAPLEWOOD YOUNG LADIES' INSTITUTE, PITTSFIELD, MASS.—Prosperously conducted sixteen years by Messrs. TYLER and AGNEW, succeeds lively, commences its next session Sept. 17, with all its former facilities for education. For catalogues, address
C. V. SPEAR, | Principals.
J. R. BOYD, |
Refer to Rev. J. Todd, D. D.; Rev. A. L. Stone, D. D.; Hon. Gov. Gardner, Hon. H. Wilson, Massachusetts; Hon. R. H. Walworth, New-York; Hon. Senator Foote, Vermont; J. F. Trow, New-York; Hon. Secretary Lewis Cass and Prof. J. Henry, Washington, D. C.

MR. BINGHAM'S SCHOOL WILL BEGIN the next term on Wednesday, Sept. 9. The number will be, as heretofore, strictly limited to twenty young men, with provision for a few more smaller boys. Pupils are regularly fitted for Harvard and Yale Colleges, and entrance warranted, as well as prepared for business. French and German are taught by native instructors. Mr. B. is determined that the school shall be, in all respects, the very best of its kind in the City. Bible House, Astor-place, sign Classical Gymnasium.

GEORGE S. PARKER AND JOHN McCULLEN'S Classical, French, English and Primary School, No. 932 Broadway, entrance in 21st-st. The new term begins Sept. 7. Pupils are prepared for college or the counting-room. Those between the ages of six and ten are under the care of a female teacher. The Gymnasium is open to all departments. Circulars may be obtained at the school rooms, and at the bookstores of R. LOCKWOOD & SON, T. J. CROWEN and C. S. FRANCIS.

MISS HAVENS WILL REOPEN HER SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, at No. 61 9th-st., near 5th-av., on Wednesday, Sept. 16. Circulars can be obtained at her residence; also at the office of the Howard Insurance Company, No. 50 Wall-st., of E. DEMENT, Esq., No. 45 William-st., of R. N. HAVENS, Esq., No. 20 Wall-st., and at the bookstores of Messrs. LOCKWOOD & SON, No. 411 Broadway, and of Mr. A. D. F. RANDOLPH, No. 683 Broadway.

MADISON-SQUARE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE, No. 928 Broadway, reopened Sept. 14.—Messrs. LYON & KARGE, recently associated with Mr. GRANT, succeed him as principals. The one being a graduate of Yale, and the other of the Universities of Berlin and Paris, and both being experienced instructors, their union combines the advantages of American and European systems of training. For circulars, &c., apply at rooms.

BOYS' SCHOOL, ELM PARK, LITCHFIELD, CONN.—Dr. JAMES RICHARDS and CHARLES A. SWIFT, A. B., (late of Yale College,) Principals. Location the healthiest in the Union. Instruction thorough, discipline strict, accommodations superior, and terms moderate. For information, address the Principals. P. S.—Pupils provided with an escort to and from Litchfield if desired.

MR. R. P. JENKS' SELECT CLASSICAL and Mathematical School will reopen, at No. 135 4th-av., Monday, Sept. 7. A Junior Department, connected with the school, under the charge of Mr. Wm. Drisler, will be open for boys under the age of 12 years. For circulars and further particulars, apply as above, on or after the 1st of September.

REV. D. C. VAN NORMAN, A. M., LATE Principal of Rutgers Female Institute, will (D. V.) open a boarding and day school for young ladies, at No. 79 East 14th-st., near Union-square, on the 14th of September next. For full information as to aims, system of instruction, &c., attention is invited to his prospectus, to be had at the school, or by addressing the Principal.

PRIVATE EDUCATION.—NO. 809 BROADway, 2d floor. The classical, French and English school of the subscriber reopens on Monday, Sept. 7. Only a limited and select number of pupils is received, to whom a thorough and efficient education is imparted. For circulars and particulars, apply to, or address, as above, R. B. WIGGINS, A. M.

GEO. C. ANTHON'S CLASSICAL, FRENCH AND ENGLISH SCHOOL—No. 572 Broadway, corner of 13th-st., reopens Sept. 7. Six assistant teachers and a teacher of gymnastics; lessons, as far as possible, taught in school. There is a Primary Department for boys of from 6 to 8 years. Circulars may be had at the school, at No. 156 32-av., and at RANDOLPH'S bookstore, No. 683 Broadway.

HUDSON RIVER INSTITUTE AT CLAVERACK, N. Y.—Male and female, board and tuition, $120 per year; stoves in students' rooms. Term opens Sept. 16. Gentleman instructions in piano music, painting, and modern languages.
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REV. R. DARA WARD'S INSTITUTE FOR young ladies, No. 38 West 23d-st., commences, Sept. 16, a new, systematic and highly approved course of instruction. Programmes at PHILENORTH'S, LOCKWOOD'S, RANDOLPH'S, and the Institute.

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AUCTION SALES.

MAGNIFICENT AUCTION SALE OF RUSSELL MORR, made in Paris, regardless of expense, works of art, splendid mantel clocks, bronzes, vases, statuettes, &c., the property of M. Jules Jacquemart, who is compelling the sale of his collection, in the Rooms of Messrs. P. NASH will sell, THIS DAY (Sept. 17), at 10 o'clock precisely, in the Rooms, No. 6 West 14th-st., near Broadway, the whole forming really the most beautiful and recherche description of household furniture offered at public auction for many years, from a small description of which can be given in this advertisement.

PARISIAN.—Elegant medallion velvet carpets, made from a pattern to order by Bright, of England; the most superb solid rosewood parlor suite, carved to order in Paris, cost $1,000, covered in satin, with silk covers; also, one suite of an entirely new style, said to be the most expensive ever made; solid rosewood centre tables, statuary, marble-top console, corner stands, heavy damask and lace curtains; two large French plate mantel mirrors, costly China and Japan vases; elegant mantel clock, runs one year; large French plate pier glass, with gold base and marble slab; superior oil-paintings, of high order and acknowledged merit, by old artists, among which are "the Descent from the Cross," by Seibert; "Mercy's Dream," from Pilgrim's Progress; grand-action seven-octave rosewood piano-forte, expensively carved, inlaid with pearl and solid pearl keys, acknowledged by professors one of the best toned instruments in this country.

Also, at 1 o'clock precisely, his splendid double match team of carriage horses, 7 and 8 years old, with double harness and carriage, blankets, fly nets, whip, lady's side saddle, &c.; the whole forming the most superb private establishment in the City.

DINING ROOM.—Solid oak extension table, 16 feet, rich French China ware, crystal cut glass ware, silver ware, ivory and pearl cutlery, rosewood secretary, side tables with marble tops, ladies' French secretary, Brussels carpets, heavy lace curtains, and mirrors, &c., &c.

Also, all the bedroom furniture, consisting of full suites of rosewood and solid black walnut, covered with green plush and hair cloth of the best description, beds and bedding, pure hair mattresses, spring mattresses, lounges and sofas, carpets, tapestry, oil-cloths, stair carpets, wardrobes, full sets of china, gasoliers, bronzes, furniture, &c., &c., with which the house is crowded. The auctioneer calls the special notice of all those in want of exceedingly household furniture to this sale, every article of which will positively be sold without reserve. The above sale being positive and without any limits, the auctioneer will require a satisfactory cash deposit from every buyer without any exceptions. Parties wishing to purchase the above elegant residence may apply to HOMER MORGAN, Esq., No. 5 Pine-st. Sale positive. Catalogues ready at 9 o'clock on morning of sale.

FINANCIAL.

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PROPOSALS FOR $1,700,000.—CITY OF BROOKLYN PERMANENT WATER LOAN.—Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Water Commissioners, of the city of Brooklyn, until Thursday, Oct. 8, 1857, for the whole or any part of $1,700,000 of the Permanent Water Loan Six per cent. Bonds of the City of Brooklyn, issued pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, passed Feb. 11, 1857, entitled an act to supply the city of Brooklyn with Water. Said Bonds are in sums of $1,000 each, having twenty-five years to run, with six per cent. interest coupons attached, payable 1st January and 1st July in each year. Each proposal should be sealed up and indorsed, "Proposal for Brooklyn Permanent Water Loan," and inclosed in an envelope addressed to "Board of Water Commissioners of Brooklyn," at office of CORNING & CO., No. 63 Wall-st., New-York. The bids will be opened publicly, and the Bonds awarded to the highest bidder on the day and at the place before mentioned, at 1 o'clock, P. M. The Commissioners are authorized to sell the Bonds without limit as to price, but they reserve the right to reject all proposals which may be in their judgment disadvantageous to the city.

TERMS OF PAYMENT.—Cash for the whole amount offered, or

Twenty per cent. in cash.
Twenty per cent., payable Nov. 2, 1857.
Twenty per cent., payable Dec. 1, 1857.
Twenty per cent., payable Jan. 2, 1858.
Twenty per cent., payable Feb. 1, 1858.

The purchaser will pay interest on the Bonds to Oct. 1. The first payment will be reserved as collateral security for the fulfillment of the contracts, and the proportion of Bonds for the same will be delivered at the time of final payment. Six per cent. interest will be charged on deferred payments.

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WILLIAM B. LEWIS, Comptroller.
CRAWFORD C. SMITH, Treasurer.
JOHN H. PRENTICE,
Chairman Board of Water Commissioners.
J. CARSON BREVOORT,
Secretary Board of Water Commissioners.

NOTICE.—NEW-YORK, SEPT. 5, 1857.—AT A meeting of the holders of the floating debt of the Great Western Railroad Company, (Illinois,) held at the office of the Company on the 1st inst., Messrs. GOUVERNEUR MORRIS and M. K. JESSUP were appointed a Committee to confer with a committee to be appointed on the part of the Bondholders, for the purpose of arriving at some plan to relieve the road from its embarrassments.

At a meeting of Bondholders, held this day, at which a large portion of the bonds were represented, a committee was appointed consisting of E. T. H. GIBSON, EDWARD BEMENT and J. N. A. GRISWOLD.

All holders of the First and Second Bonds of the Road, and all holders of the Floating Debt, are requested to send in their names, the number of bonds and amount of claims, to E. T. H. GIBSON, No. 54 William-st., New-York, that all may be notified of the next meeting of Bondholders.

GOUVERNEUR MORRIS,
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E. T. H. GIBSON,
J. N. A. GRISWOLD, } Committee.

THE UNDERSIGNED, TRUSTEES OF THE Second Mortgage of the Northern Cross Railroad Company, hereby give notice that they have drawn by lot the following numbers of Second Mortgage 8 per cent. Convertible Bonds of said Company, viz.: 89, 104, 110, 132, 157, 164, 175, 181, 208, 232, 266, 272, 281, 305, 313, 387, 391, 410, 450, 454, 480, 491, 496, 504, 1,264, 1,295, 1,309, 1,315, 1,351, 1,358, 1,372—thirty-one Bonds of $1,000 each, and 613, 561, 568, 573, 608, 615, 650, 662, 745, 775, 776, 804, 807, 831, 848, 894, 926, 928, 955, 971, 1,003, 1,071, 1,089, 1,087, 1,108, 1,111, 1,112, 1,116, 1,140, 1,147, 1,148, 1,151, 1,192, 1,198, 1,210, 1,218, 1,224, 1,242—thirty-eight Bonds of $500 each; together $50,000, which are to be purchased on the 1st of November next, at par and accrued interest, by the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company, as per agreement stipulated in the Bonds. The interest on the Bonds bearing the above-mentioned numbers will cease on the 1st November next.

JOHN ELIOT THAYER,
J. M. FORBES,
LOUIS A. VON HOFFMAN, } Trustees.

OHIO STATE STOCKS.—THERE WILL BE sold at public auction, at the Merchants' Exchange, in the City of New-York, on SATURDAY, Sept. 19, 1857, at 12½ o'clock P. M., by ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer, for cash, forty-five thousand dollars of Bonds of the State of Ohio, drawing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually in the City of New-York and the principal redeemable at the pleasure of the State any time after the year 1868. These Stocks were deposited with the Treasurer of the State of Ohio for the purpose of securing the circulation of the City Bank of Cincinnati, and they are to be sold for the purpose of redeeming its circulation, under the provisions of the act to incorporate the State Bank of Ohio, and other Banking Companies, passed Feb. 24, 1845.

A. P. STONE, Treasurer of the State of Ohio.

NOTICE.—WESTERN VERMONT RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE.—The accounts of Shepherd Knapp and George Briggs, trustees of this mortgage, and of Shepherd Knapp, appointed receiver in the suit to foreclose the same, having been referred to me for examination, allowance and report by the Court of Chancery, for the County of Bennington, in the State of Vermont, notice is hereby given that I will attend to said examination on the 22d day of September inst., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Wakeman, Latting & Phelps, No. 59 Fulton-st., in the City of New-York, when and where all bondholders and others interested are notified to attend. JOHN PIERPOINT, Special Master.
NEW-YORK, Sept. 8, 1857.

SECOND INSTALLMENT.—INCREASED CAPITAL STOCK OF THE MERCHANTS' BANK IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.—Stockholders are notified that the second installment (50 per cent.) upon the increased capital stock of this institution will be payable at the Banking-house on the 1st of October proximo. Stockholders who may prefer not to pay the same at that time, are at liberty to defer it until the 1st of December next, when they can pay the second and third installments together. A. E. SILLIMAN, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE MICHIGAN SOUTHERN and Northern Indiana Railroad Company, No. 19 William-st., New-York, Aug. 22, 1857.—Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of this Company, the transfer books of the Stock will be closed from the 12th day of September next, at 3 o'clock P. M., until the morning of the 26th of September, at 10 o'clock, preparatory to an election of Directors.
GEORGE H. FORD, Treasurer.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS.—The undersigned offer for sale the 7 per cent. Coupon Bonds of this Company, (late issue,) having twenty years to run, interest payable semi-annually, on the first days of February and August, at the Company's Agency in this City.
DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.

SEVEN PER CENT. CITY REVENUE Bonds will be issued by the Comptroller, in sums not less than $500, payable in from 5 to 12 months, as may be desired. The money may be deposited with the City Chamberlain, A. V. STOUT, at Shoe and Leather Bank.

INTEREST NOTICE.—THE COUPONS FOR interest on the bonds of the KERSENE OIL COMPANY, maturing on the 1st October next, will then be paid on presentation at the office, No. 20 Beaver-st. By order of the Board. G. W. AUSTIN, Treasurer.

MONEY TO LOAN.—SEVERAL SMALL SUMS to loan on bond and mortgage of real estate in this City. Apply at the office No. 66 Warren-st., 3d story.

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NEW INVENTION OF ARTIFICIAL TEETH WITHOUT METAL PLATE OR CLASPS.—Dr. S. P. HOSKINS, Dentist, No. 561 Broadway, invites the public to call and examine. The cost are 3 lighter than the generality, and can be inserted without extracting any roots, and prove the most convenient.

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ROMEO RAMSDELL, President.

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JOHN O. STEARNS, Superintendent.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD.—FOR PHILADELPHIA AND THE SOUTH AND WEST, via JERSEY CITY.—Mail and Express Line. Leave New-York at 8 and 11 A. M., and 4 and 6 P. M. (12 M., 12 25 and 12 45 P. M. stopping at all way stations. Through tickets sold for Cincinnati and the West, and for Baltimore, Washington, Norfolk, &c., and through baggage checked to Washington in 9 A. M. and 6 P. M.
J. W. WOODRUFF, Assistant Superintendent.

No baggage will be received for any train, unless delivered and checked 15 minutes in advance of the time of leaving.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FROM JULY 6, 1857, trains will leave Chambers-st. station as follows: Express trains, 7 A. M., for Albany; Accommodation trains, 9 A. M., 12 M., and 3½ P. M.; for Sing Sing, 10½ A. M. and 4 P. M.; for Poughkeepsie, 7 A. M., and 1 and 7 P. M.; for Peekskill, 3½ P. M. The Poughkeepsie, Peekskill and Sing Sing trains stop at the way stations. Passenger trains at Chambers, Canal, Christopher and 31st sts. Trains for New-York leave Troy at 5:30 A. M., and 12:40 A. M., and 4:40 P. M.; and Albany at 4:45, 9, and 10:40 A. M., and 4:40 P. M.
A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

FLUSHING RAILROAD—LEAVES FULTON Market Wharf, by Steamer ISLAND CITY, at 8:45, 9 and 10 A. M., and 2, 3, 4 P. M. Also, leave Flushing, L. I., at the same hours, meeting and exchanging passengers with the boat at Hunter's Point—through in 40 minutes. Fare 25 cents.
WM. M. SMITH, Receiver.

BANK NOTICES.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION.—No. 462 Grand-st., corner Willett-st., open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Six per cent. interest allowed on sums from $5 to $500; 5 per cent. on sums over $500. All sums deposited previous to the 10th of July will draw interest from the 1st inst. ALFRED T. CONKLIN, President.
JAMES F. HAIGHT, Secretary.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION—NO. 96 Warren-st., near Greenwich. Open daily from 10 to 2 o'clock, and from 4 to 7 P. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. Interest at 6 per cent. on all sums from $1 to $500.
WALTER W. CONCKLIN, President.
V. L. BURTON, Secretary.

ROSEHILL SAVINGS BANK, CORNER OF FOURTEENTH-STREET AND EIGHTH-AVENUE.—All sums not exceeding $1,000, deposited here until the 10th October, will draw interest at 6 per cent. from the 1st; over $1,000, 5 per cent.
WM. F. HAVEMEYER, President.
J. BRINKERHOFF, Secretary.

EAST RIVER SAVINGS BANK.—NO. 3 Chatham-st., two doors from Chatham; interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum will be paid on sums from $5 to $500, and 5 per cent. on sums over $500. All money deposited on or before the 3d day of October will draw interest from the first of October. Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Thursday from 5 to 7 P. M. PETER H. TITUS, President.
C. A. WHITNEY, Secretary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION—Third-av., corner 9th-st.—Deposits made on or before Oct. 1, will be allowed interest from the 1st of October, at the rate of 6 per cent. on sums of $5 to $500. Bank open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Wednesday and Saturday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Secretary.

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DIVIDENDS.

CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO RAILROAD COMPANY.—J. SEYMOUR, Esq., Cashier of the Bank of North America, has been appointed transfer agent of the Cleveland and Toledo Railroad Company, and the Transfer Books of said Company will be closed on the 16th instant, and remain closed till the 31st inst. The matured interest coupons of the bonds of the Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland Railroad Company, Junction Railroad Company, and the Cleveland and Toledo Railroad Company will be paid at the Bank of North America from and after the 31st instant. The present share holders of the Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland Railroad by accepting the Bonds.
J. R. WARING, President.
New-York, Sept. 5, 1857.

NEW-YORK CONSOLIDATED STAGE COMPANY.—DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors of this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent., payable to the stockholders on and after the 15th inst., at the Pacific Bank. The transfer books will be closed from the 10th to the 15th inst., inclusive. By order of the Board.
J. CAMPBELL, Jr., Treasurer.

DIVIDEND.—THE ATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Brooklyn have declared a semi-annual dividend of six per cent. payable on demand.
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NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD.—FOR PHILADELPHIA AND THE SOUTH AND WEST, via JERSEY CITY.—Mail and Express Line. Leave New-York at 8 and 11 A. M., and 4 and 6 P. M. (12 M., 12 25 and 12 45 P. M. stopping at all way stations. Through tickets sold for Cincinnati and the West, and for Baltimore, Washington, Norfolk, &c., and through baggage checked to Washington in 9 A. M. and 6 P. M.
J. W. WOODRUFF, Assistant Superintendent.

No baggage will be received for any train, unless delivered and checked 15 minutes in advance of the time of leaving.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FROM JULY 6, 1857, trains will leave Chambers-st. station as follows: Express trains, 7 A. M., for Albany; Accommodation passenger trains, 9 A. M., 12 M., and 3½ P. M.; for Sing Sing, 10½ A. M. and 4 P. M.; for Poughkeepsie, 7 A. M., and 1 and 7 P. M.; for Peekskill, 3½ P. M. The Poughkeepsie, Peekskill and Sing Sing trains stop at the way stations. Passenger trains at Chambers, Canal, Christopher and 31st sts. Trains for New-York leave Troy at 5:30 A. M., and 12:40 A. M., and 4:40 P. M.; and Albany at 4:45, 9, and 10:40 A. M., and 4:40 P. M.
A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

FLUSHING RAILROAD—LEAVES FULTON Market Wharf, by Steamer ISLAND CITY, at 8:45, 9 and 10 A. M., and 2, 3, 4 P. M. Also, leave Flushing, L. I., at the same hours, meeting and exchanging passengers with the boat at Hunter's Point—through in 40 minutes. Fare 25 cents.
WM. M. SMITH, Receiver.

BANK NOTICES.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION.—No. 462 Grand-st., corner Willett-st., open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Six per cent. interest allowed on sums from $5 to $500; 5 per cent. on sums over $500. All sums deposited previous to the 10th of July will draw interest from the 1st inst. ALFRED T. CONKLIN, President.
JAMES F. HAIGHT, Secretary.

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WALTER W. CONCKLIN, President.
V. L. BURTON, Secretary.

ROSEHILL SAVINGS BANK, CORNER OF FOURTEENTH-STREET AND EIGHTH-AVENUE.—All sums not exceeding $1,000, deposited here until the 10th October, will draw interest at 6 per cent. from the 1st; over $1,000, 5 per cent.
WM. F. HAVEMEYER, President.
J. BRINKERHOFF, Secretary.

EAST RIVER SAVINGS BANK.—NO. 3 Chatham-st., two doors from Chatham; interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum will be paid on sums from $5 to $500, and 5 per cent. on sums over $500. All money deposited on or before the 3d day of October will draw interest from the first of October. Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Thursday from 5 to 7 P. M. PETER H. TITUS, President.
C. A. WHITNEY, Secretary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION—Third-av., corner 9th-st.—Deposits made on or before Oct. 1, will be allowed interest from the 1st of October, at the rate of 6 per cent. on sums of $5 to $500. Bank open daily from 9 A. M to 2 P. M., and on Wednesday and Saturday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Secretary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION—3d-av., corner 9th-st., open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Wednesday and Saturday from 5 to 8 P. M. Interest allowed on deposits. I. T. SMITH, Sec.

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CASH CAPITAL, $200,000.
This Company insures property of all kinds against loss or damage by fire, on as favorable terms as similar institutions in this City.

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DIVIDENDS.

CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO RAILROAD COMPANY.—J. SEYMOUR, Esq., Cashier of the Bank of North America, has been appointed transfer agent of the Cleveland and Toledo Railroad Company, and the Transfer Books of said Company will be closed on the 16th instant, and remain closed till the 31st inst. The matured interest coupons of the bonds of the Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland Railroad Company, Junction Railroad Company, and the Cleveland and Toledo Railroad Company will be paid at the Bank of North America from and after the 31st instant. The present share holders of the Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland Railroad by accepting the Bonds.
J. R. WARING, President.
New-York, Sept. 5, 1857.

NEW-YORK CONSOLIDATED STAGE COMPANY.—DIVIDEND.—The President and Directors of this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent., payable to the stockholders on and after the 15th inst., at the Pacific Bank. The transfer books will be closed from the 10th to the 15th inst., inclusive. By order of the Board.
J. CAMPBELL, Jr., Treasurer.

DIVIDEND.—THE ATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Brooklyn have declared a semi-annual dividend of six per cent. payable on demand.
HORACIO JONES, Secretary.

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Saturday, June 20	1857	Wednesday, June 24	1857
Saturday, July 4	1857	Wednesday, July 8	1857
Saturday, July 18	1857	Wednesday, July 22	1857
Saturday, Aug. 1	1857	Wednesday, Aug. 5	1857
Saturday, Aug. 15	1857	Wednesday, Aug. 19	1857
Saturday, Sept. 12	1857	Wednesday, Sept. 9	1857
Saturday, Sept. 26	1857	Wednesday, Sept. 30	1857
Saturday, Oct. 10	1857	Wednesday, Oct. 14	1857
Saturday, Oct. 24	1857	Wednesday, Oct. 28	1857
Saturday, Nov. 7	1857	Wednesday, Nov. 11	1857
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AFRICA, Capt. Shannon. | EUROPA, Capt. J. Leitch.

These vessels carry a clear white light at mast-head; green on starboard bow; red on port bow.
ASIA, Leitch, leaves N. York Wednesday, Sept. 16.
EUROPA, Leitch, leaves Boston Wednesday, Sept. 23.
PERSIA, Judkins, leaves N. York Wednesday, Sept. 30.
CANADA, Shannon

[illegible]

[illegible] Dr. Bonnafon.—The first [illegible] Dr. Bonnafon, of Richmond, Va., on the [illegible] of the murdered man. The last [illegible] was at Richmond, Va., on the [illegible] where he purchased a railroad [illegible] (direct) as he was about starting north; [illegible] Mr. Smith, subsequently [illegible] the same money back again, or money of [illegible] Mr. Smith; no one else was [illegible] he delivered the money with defendant; that he told defendant that he meant to call for [illegible] when he came back. Some words in [illegible] between the witness and the prisoner, [illegible] or being questioned, said witness was not correct in saying no one was [illegible] the transaction, and the reply was that he was not correct.

[illegible] Dr. Taylor was sworn. He was a practising physician at Middletown; was at the Seaview House on the first day of August last; saw the dead body of a man in a room in the third story; made an examination of it; found a wound on the left side of the neck, about six inches deep and two inches [illegible] under the impression that the jugular vein was severed, the carotid artery was not touched; [illegible] a thorough examination at this time; [illegible] on the Monday following at the burying-ground at Chapel Hill, in company with Dr. Finnell, [illegible] and Drs. Cook, Vought and Taylor, [illegible] of this county; the wound was [illegible] with a pointed instrument with sharp edges; the [illegible] was sufficient to produce death; noticed [illegible] in the next room to the one in which he found [illegible] on the hotel; room No. 36, next to the stairs; found blood on the walls and on the door-casing; also [illegible] blood in the room in which the [illegible] was found.

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[illegible] Life might have been preserved if surgical instruments and appliances had been at hand; it was a very dangerous wound; there were no evidences of surgical treatment about the wound except a simple compress; Moses was buried on the night of the same day that he died, and had been two days in the grave when the examination was made; the wound narrowed to a point as it went in; could not say how far the wound had been enlarged from the origin of the wound; he told it open all the way down.

[illegible] Cross-examined.—If proper surgical assistance had been at hand, it was possible to have saved Moses' life, but not probable that it would have done so; the gullet being wounded, life would have to be sustained by a tube; the tissues, &c., were so much in such a way as to render the chances of recovery very improbable; the original wound was [illegible] when a second incision was made (at the examination by Dr. Taylor,) [illegible] a little wider.

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Court.—Dr. Taylor was present, and pointed out the wound.

The Court here adjourned to 9 o'clock in the morning.

SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 16, 9 A. M.

George A. Moses was recalled, and identified a pocket-book taken from the clothes of the deceased.

Alexander D. Tompkins was sworn—He made a sketch of the rooms in the Seaview House, the same being now shown him (by counsel.) they consisted of the rooms of the third floor, on which the murder was committed, the first and second floors, and representations of the grounds around the Hotel; these diagrams were exhibited to the Jury.

[illegible] Witness—He was at the Seaview House, Long Branch, from August 1 to September 1; resided three miles from there; was there to take testimony; he arrived there between two and three P. M., August 1; took the clothing out of the rooms and showed them to George A. Moses; was at the Seaview House when the rooms of the clothing and witnesses.

Q.—Do you see any one take possession of Mr. [illegible] clothing or effects?

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